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ASS OF '95 AT COLLEGE.

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Baldwin Starr, Leland Stanford University.
Cora Martin, Ann Arbor.
Lida Martin, Ann Arbor.
Myrtle Wheeler, Monticello Seminary.
Mary Jenison, Ann Arbor.
Amanda Trainer, Illinois State Normal.
Mollie Drobisch, Illinois State University.
Lewis T. Kirby, University of Illinois.

At the St. Nick To-night.

The banquet and reception tonight at the St. Nicholas will be under the management of the '95 class, a new departure in the social side of commencement. The reception will be in the hotel parlors at 8 o'clock and the banquet in the dining hall will begin at 9 o'clock. There will be music all evening. Hugh W. Housom is the chairman of the banquet committee; Miss Marie Jenison, vice-president.

THE MENU.

Little Neck Clams Russian Caviar Sandwiches
Olives Cucumbers
California Salmon Duchess Potatoes
Roman Punch
Broiled Spring Chicken with New Potatoes
Chicken Salad, Mayonnaise Dressing
Tomato Salad
Ice Cream, Class of '95
Green and White Cake
Angel Food Chocolate Cream Cake
Marshmallow Cake
Oranges Pineapples Bananas Assorted Nuts
Berries with Cream
Sheed Watermelon Salted Almonds Mint Wafers
Roquefort and Edam Cheese
Coffee and Lemonade

TOASTS.

Dr. J. L. Bevans will be the toast master.

"The Class of '95," by the Toastmaster; response by Louis T. Rainey.

"Modern High School," by Mrs. Fannie J. Sedgwick; response by Prof. J. J. Sheppard.

"25 1," by Robert P. Vail; response by Miss Mary W. French.

"Present Educational Question," proposed by C. A. Ewing; response by E. A. Gastman.

"Decatur at College," proposed by Mrs. V. N. Hostetler; response by Clarence Wait.

There will be an impromptu toast on the health of the class, proposed by L. T. Rainey; response by Dr. Bevans.

After the banquet there will be music for those who care to dance, and the remainder will pass the time in the parlors on the second floor.

ORDER OF THE DANCES.

1. Grand March Sousa High School Cadets
Sir Roger De Coverley
2. Waltz Isle of Champagne
3. La Coquette Peacock Stride
4. Deux Temps—Nevin Narcissus
5. Esmeralda Hornpipe Polka
6. Waltz Sobra Olas
7. Mazurka La Czarina
8. Deux Temps—Schelfarth Douglas Club
Goodman's Orchestra.

LIBEL BILL'S PROVISIONS.

Plaintiff to Recover Only Actual Damages for Mistakes.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 12.—The libel bill which was passed by the senate today, and which now goes to the governor for his approval, provides as follows:

In any action brought for the publication of a libel in any newspaper in this state, the plaintiff shall recover only actual damages, if it shall appear at the trial of such action that such publication was made in good faith and that its falsity was due to mistake or misapprehension of the facts, and that in the next regular issue of said paper, after such mistake or misapprehension was brought to the knowledge of the publisher or publishers of such newspaper, whether before or after suit were brought, a correction or retraction was published in as conspicuous a manner and place in said newspaper as was the libel.

No exemplary or punitive damagee shall be recovered in any action brought for the publication of a libel in any newspaper in this state, unless the plaintiff shall, before bringing the suit, give notice in writing to the defendant to publish a retraction or correction of the libel, and shall, before bringing suit, allow the defendant a reasonable time in which to publish such refraction or correction. Proof of publication of such retraction or correction shall be admissible in evidence under the general issue in mitigation of damages and in evidence of the good faith of the defendant, provided that the retraction or correction shall be published in as conspicuous a manner and place in said newspaper as was the libel.

Our Streets.

Our streets are in better condition than they have been for a long time. A force of men have been at work for several weeks removing the accumulations from the pavements, and a marked improvement in the appearance and condition of the streets is the result. It should also be borne in mind that the removal of this filth amounts to an important improvement in the sanitary conditions and is also very consoling to to pedestrians, wheelmen and those who ride in other vehicles. This improvement is creditable to the mayor and city council.

WITH the blood full of humors, the heated term is all the more oppressive Give the system a thorough cleansing with Ayer's Sarsaparilla and a dose or two of Ayer's Pills, and you will enjoy Summer as never before in your life. Just try this for once, and you'll not repent it.

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Boys' Suits, extra pants and cap, all wool, a world beater $3.50
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Men's All Wool, stylish cut.....$8.00

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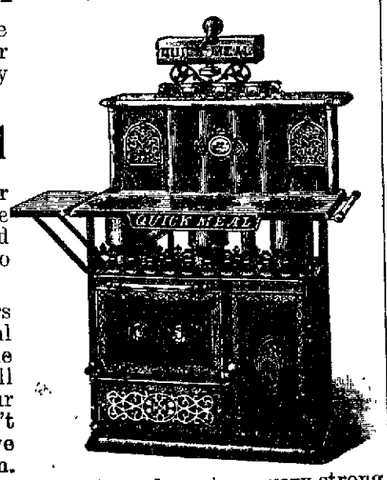

for the same money. Over 300,000 of them in use and no one who has used them could be induced to use any other stove.

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SILVER ADVOCATES

Satisfied with the Results of the Convention.

AND PLEASED WITH THEIR PLATFORM,

Which They Say Must Do Good Work in Framing Public Sentiment—A National Bimetallic League to be Organized.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 14.—With rare exceptions all who were visitors in the city in attendance upon the silver convention have left for their respective homes. The talk about the big gathering and its probable influence in the contest of financial ideas, which had been indulged in by the city for many weeks, however, is by no means at an end. Prominent officers of the Central Bimetallic league were seen and expressed themselves highly gratified with the magnitude and work of the gathering. In very few respects did it fail to meet fully their expectations.

Senator Harris was called upon this afternoon, and Senator Jones, of Arkansas, was found with the Tennesseean in his room at the Gayoso.

"I believe the results of the convention are eminently satisfactory," said Senator Harris. "The representatives of all classes have gotten together, have heard the question of silver fully discussed and returned to their homes more determined and united than ever in their support of free coinage. The thing of chief importance, however, is that we have adopted resolutions which define the issue clearly; it is a clear, unambiguous document, that must have a fine effect in framing public opinion hereafter."

Senator Jones addressed his views of the convention and voiced practically the sentiments expressed by Senator Harris. He spoke especially of the representative delegation present from his own state, calling attention to the fact that Gov. Clarke, ex-Gov. Eagle, both United States senators, every congressman and the president of the biggest bank in Arkansas were among its members.

The movement inaugurated by prominent democrats Thursday night looking to the organization of a national bimetallic league is, of course, a step of the greatest importance in the campaign upon the currency question.

Senators Harris, Jones and Turpie were named as a committee to select members of a national executive committee consisting of one man from each state.

"As to this business," Senator Harris said, "I don't know that it is just the time for further elaboration of the idea than the press has already contained. The league will be purely a democratic organization, formed for the purpose of securing a perfect organization of the silver democrats in the country; for the purpose of controlling the utterances of the next national democratic convention upon the financial question. I have no doubt that the great majority of the people are in favor of free coinage, but unless they organize it will be impossible for them to make the next platform.

"Gold men have leisure, they have little else to do besides preparing for conventions, and it is therefore possible that while our people are busy in their fields and workshops a very small but powerful organization of our opponents might go to the county and state conventions, control them and in so doing lay the plan for controlling the national convention, and thereby a very small, well-organized minority would be able to defeat the disorganized majority. It is to defeat this that we propose to organize this American bimetallic league.

"The committee will accordingly at once put itself in communication with the leading bimetallists in every state of the Union, and will ask, and doubtless secure, their assistance in perfecting an active, vigilant organization of the silver people in every magisterial district, county and state. The result will be that none but delegates favoring silver coinage will be sent to the county conventions, none but silver men will then go to the state conventions, and, finally, none but pronounced advocates of the white metal will be in the national convention."

"You clearly undestand," put in Senator Jones, "that this movement is strictly in the lines of the democratic party, and we want the country to understand that. The organization of silver advocates in an independent body, without partisan character, cannot have the effect of giving organized strength to silver democrats in a sense that will enable them to control the sending of their delegates to the various conventions."

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at King & Metz's drug store.

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ADJOURNED.

Closing Session of the Illinois Legislature—The Veto Goes.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 15.—After passing a large number of bills at a session which lasted until long after midnight, the thirty-ninth general assembly adjourned. During the day the senate took up the Crawford bills allowing the consolidation of elevated and street railways, which Gov. Altgeld had vetoed, and passed them both over his veto. The measures went to the house, where they failed to pass, Gov. Altgeld breaking the quorum and preventing the bills from coming up.

Narrow Escape from Death by an Infernal Machine.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 15.—Postmaster Trippito, of Fisher's Station, has narrowly escaped being blown up by an infernal machine. He received the package from Cincinnati. The box was filled with powder, dynamite cartridges and fulminating caps. About a year ago an attempt was made to blow up Fisher's Station with dynamite.

Marked Improvement in the Condition of Miss Dodge.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The marked improvement in the condition of "Gail Hamilton" continues, and it is believed now that the patient can be removed to her home in Massachusetts by the latter part of next week. She talks quite freely, but is unable to account satisfactorily to herself for the past four weeks of time.

Will not Meet the Queen Where He is Going.

EDINBURGH, June 15.—Thomas Don, the crank who was arrested on the Balmoral road June 7, was yesterday committed to a lunatic asylum on a crown warrant. When Don was arrested he was practicing with a revolver, and informed his captors that he was on his way to Balmoral to obtain an interview with the queen.

Coming Home for a Two Months' Vacation.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Pierce M. B. Young, the American minister to Guatemala and Honduras, informs Secretary Olney by telegraph of his arrival in San Francisco, and that he will proceed immediately to Washington and report. He will remain at home two months on leave.

Stage Held Up and Robbed.

MEEKER, Col., June 15.—The Meeker-Rifle incoming stage was held up Thursday at the twelve-mile post. There was a package containing $3,000 in county bonds which the robbers overlooked.

DR. PRICE'S Baking Powder is a synonym for purity, strength and perfection.

The Journalists at Atlantic City.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 15.—Members of the journalist fraternity, who had had the key to the city gates of Philadelphia for three days, arrived here yesterday morning to spend the day and night among the sights of this resort. Nearly all of the delegates joined in the outing. A public reception was tendered them by city officials and Mayor Stoy extended the freedom of the city. The party will return to Philadelphia this morning.

Indicted for Murder in the First Degree.

TRENTON, N. J., June 15.—John Collins, the negro who shot Students Ohl and Cochran at Princeton last Saturday night, has been indicted for murder in the first degree and also for atrocious assault. The latter indictment is for the shooting of Cochran, who it is presumed will recover. Collins was arraigned yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty to the charges.

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Get well: That's the way to look well. Cure the disorders and ailments that beset you, with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

It regulates and promotes all the proper functions, improves digestion, enriches the blood, dispels aches and pains, melancholy and nervousness, brings refreshing sleep, and restores health and strength. It's a powerful general, as well as uterine, tonic and nervine, imparting vigor and strength to the entire system.

MRS. ANNA ULRICH, of *Elm Creek, Buffalo Co., Neb.*, writes: "I enjoy good health thanks to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I was under doctors' care for two years with womb disease, and gradually wasting in strength all the time. I was so weak that I could sit up in bed only a few moments, for two years. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and by the time I had taken one-half dozen bottles I was up and going wherever I pleased, and have had good health and been very strong ever since—that was two years and a half ago."

MRS. ULRICH.

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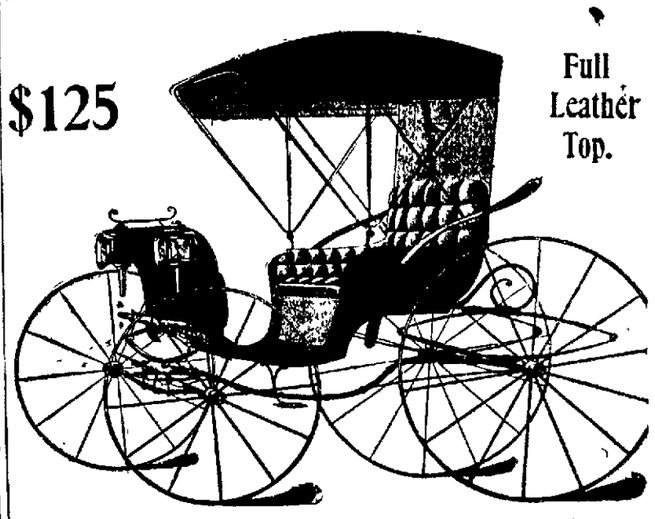

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OTTAWA, Kan., May 25, 1895.

I write, Dot, to let you know that I haven't an ache or pain in my body and have not taken quite two boxes yet. Isn't that grand? First time in over 20 years. Even the pain in my lungs is entirely gone and I am sure that it is the medicine you sent me that cured me. Oh, Dot, you don't know how thankful I am that you sent it to me, for I had no faith in any medicine and would not have taken it had it come from any one else but you, for you know the same as I do how many kinds of medicines I have taken and nothing done me any good. Please see if I should take the rest of the medicine you sent me. I don't want you to send me any more for I am well now and am sure there isn't any need of me taking any more. After you sent me the laxative it seemed to do me so much good and the Cerrodanie Capsules seemed to take hold with it, and the first thing I knew my rheumatism was all gone. Your father said when he saw the capsules, "Oh, some more patent medicine. Mary had better save her money for she knows you can't be cured." Dave Wareley's father-in-law has been confined to his bed for a number of years. Your brother Joe has come to tell him of my wonderful cure and get him to try Cerrodanie Capsules, for I am sure they will cure him. He is a poor man and of course will look at the cost. He is just like I was and has tried so many different things without getting any relief that he has lost all faith in everything. But I know that Cerrodanie will cure rheumatism and neuralgia, faith or no faith. Many thanks to you, my darling daughter, for sending me Cerrodanie, for language can't express the pain and misery I have suffered for the past 20 years. Tell the Cerrodanie Co. that I will do all in my power to spread the good news that their capsules are a positive cure for rheumatism.

Your loving mother, MRS. LAFAYETTE GREEN.
Ottawa, Kan.

ELGIN, Kan., May 24, 1895.

CERRODANIE CAPSULE CO:
Gentlemen—Inclosed find $1 for which please send me one box of Capsules. I have used up one box and they are helping me some after trying everything for 30 years.
P. S.—Send at once. GEORGE W. JOHNSON.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1895.

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE completed her 84th year yesterday.

THE St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says St. Louis is entitled to the next national Republican convention. She has our consent and that will probably settle it.

THE Ohio Democracy will experience some difficulty in screwing up the courage of a patriot of that school to the sticking point of a candidate for governor.

GOV. MCKINLEY, who will address the Ottawa, Kansas, Chautauqua Assembly on the 20th has arranged to address the National convention of Republican league clubs at Cleveland, Ohio, on the 21st.

COL. WATTERSON says that "worse things have happened and worse things may happen than the gain of Kentucky by the Republicans." The facts are that nothing very good has happened in Kentucky since John M. Palmer had control of the state about the close of the war.

GEN. JOHN C. BLACK, who was once a Greenbacker, has enlisted to make a number of honest money speeches west of the Mississippi river, in the interest of that wing of the Democratic party. The other members of the party who will travel with Black on the same mission are Gen. J. B. Gordon, of Georgia; James Kerr, of Pennsylvania; Henry Myers, of Indiana, and John Allen, of Mississippi.

IN his proclamation warning the people against interference in behalf of the Cuban insurgents, Grover Cleveland manages to say, "the United States are" instead of, "the United States is;" but this is the same official, who in his state papers in the Hawaiian affair referred to citizens of the United States as "subjects" of the government. Grover would have to be kept in office a long time before he would become familiar with the peculiarities of our institutions.

THE Democratic state convention in Kentucky will be held on the 25th of the present month, and as that time approaches things political are getting very hot. Senator Blackburn is a candidate for re-election to the United States senate and is a ranting free silver 16 to 1 man. There is a very strong element in the Democratic party in that state that will have none of that sort of money if they can help it, and those people have taken up Carlisle to defeat Blackburn with, and are now quite confident they have Blackburn beaten.

Another Book on Money.

In an editorial notice of a book written in the interest of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 the Chattanooga (Tenn.) *Times* (Dem.) makes the following sharp and logical criticism:

"The Fifty Cent Dollar" is the title of a book of 112 pages, by Neil W. Carothers, a member of the Chattanooga bar. It is published in the interest of the free coinage movement. Its author follows the usual "arguments," and repeats the ordinary threadbare denunciations of the bankers, the goldbugs and other human monstrosities. He revamps the plea that there isn't enough gold to supply the demand, as a money measure. He makes the usual mistake of those who imagine that volume, and not certainty and fixity of value, is the chief virtue of a medium of exchange. That is, like 'Coin," Mr. Carothers thinks it's more bushel measures, and not more bushels of corn, wheat, oats, etc.; more yardsticks, and not more yards of fabric, the country needs. Like the rest of his class he would enrich the people by letting loose a flood of alleged money.

We have not space to go into a review of this, or any other book on the appermost topic of the hour, no matter which side it might take. The public may read, digest and decide for itself.

Mr. Carother's book has been gotten out for the author, in neat style, printed from large, clear type by MacGowan & Cooke, Chattanooga, and will be sold at 25 cents a copy.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh, being a constitutional disease, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address
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L. YODER has sold 119 acres near Chestnut to C. Roos for $12,000 and has bought a half section in Clay county, Iowa.

BUSY people have no time, and sensible people have no inclination to use a slow remedy. One Minute Cough Cure acts promptly and gives permanent results. Battles & Eichinger.

WILL GET THEIR LICENSE

Unless it Can be Shown that the Law Has Been Violated.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The Seaside Athletic club of Coney Island, having been refused a license by Mayor Schierin of Brooklyn, applied to Judge Gaynor, of the supreme court, for a mandamus to compel the mayor to issue the license. The mandamus case was argued before Judge Gaynor yesterday, and after hearing the case, the judge said he would undoubtedly grant the mandamus for this license unless it is clearly shown that the law had been violated, but he reserved decision to give the lawyers time to hand up briefs.

After the mandamus proceedings in court the officials of the Seaside club held a meeting and, after a lengthy discussion, came to the conclusion that it would be best for them not to have the fight which was to have taken place there last night between Dixon and Erne. It was therefore indefinitely postponed.

Wm. A. Maber, "Shadow," the prize fighter, who was billed to appear last night with Young Corbett at the Seaside Athletic club, is a prisoner at the Coney Island police station with two gaping wounds in the breast. He got into a quarrel yesterday morning with a watchman in a Coney Island saloon. The watchman stabbed him twice in the breast with an ice pick. He is not dangerously hurt.

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS

Reported at Barduba, Antigua and St. Kitts, W. I.

[Special Correspondence of the United Press.]

BARBADOES, June 3.—Intelligence has just been received here from Antigua, Barduba and St. Kitts of several shocks of earthquake having been experienced in those islands from the 20th to the 24th ult.

At Barduba the seismic disturbances were unusually severe, shock after shock following in rapid succession, and the earth heaving as perceptibly as a wave upon the ocean. On the 20th ultimo no fewer than eight severe shocks—each lasting for several seconds—were experienced. Considerable damage was done to the schoolhouse and church, the Great house and many dwellings and walls throughout the island.

At Antigua the disturbance was also severely felt, the shocks being accompainied by loud, rumbling sounds, and houses and other buildings were shaken to their foundations, earthenware and furniture rattling with such distinctness as to leave no room for doubt as to the cause.

At St. Kitts a like state of affairs was experienced, though the shocks were less in number and severity.

A LEGAL TANGLE

In the Law Constituting the Federal Courts in Indian Territory.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Judge W. M. Springer, of the new United States court in the Indian territory, northern district, who came to Washington to attend the wedding of his son, Chaplain R. W. Springer, of the army, last week, was on Thursday joined by Judge Stewart, of the central district, and together they will labor with the officials of the department of justice with a view to straightening out the tangle in the law constituting the courts over which they preside. These relate principally to the duties of the officers of the courts, clerks and marshals and the method of their payment. If the provisions of the law should be strictly construed, it will be practically impossible for the clerks to perform the duties required of them, while the status of the marshals will be left in serious doubt. Judges Stewart and Springer had a consultation with Attorney-General Harmon yesterday morning, and at its close they expressed confidence that some way would be found to satisfactorily settle the difficulties confronting the judges.

A TROUBLESOME PROBLEM.

The Manitoba School Question Not Yet Settled—A Suggestion.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 15.—The announcement of Premier Greenway of Manitoba regarding the school question is not looked upon here as the final answer of Manitoba to the suggestion sent by the governor-general in council to Winnipeg, a couple of months ago. It is taken to mean that for the present the premier does not see his way clear to take action. Stalwart Orangemen and ultra Catholics profess to be satisfied with Greenway's answer, but the under current of feeling, so far as Ontario members are concerned, whether they be liberals or conservatives, is one of professed disappointment that this troublesome question is again within the arena of federal politics. It is understood that the Ontario members will ask the government to appoint a strong commission consisting of five of the best judges in the land, three Protestant and two Catholics, to go to Manitoba and thoroughly examine into the condition of affairs.

THE Hooperston Fair Association will offer $500 purses in each of two races.

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A Holland Case

The people of New Holland, O., have been greatly surprised recently by the almost wonderful cure of a young daughter of Mr. Jno. Orahood, who for a long time had been afflicted with fits or epileptic convulsions. The affliction seemed more dreadful because of the natural brightness of the child. Doctors and other medicines failed to effect any lasting benefit, and cure seemed hopeless until a sample bottle of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer was providentially handed Mr. Orahood and from the use of it and only two full bottles of the remedy, the young girl has been completely cured of the affliction which threatened to blight her life. Fortunately there are but few cases of epileptic fits, but we venture to say that half the people who read this would feel like new beings after a thorough use of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer; it is a nerve food, restoring nerve force on the same principle that food restores physical vigor and muscle.

If yours is a case of shattered nerves, frequent headache, perhaps nervously cross, troubled with sleeplessness, a tired feeling in the morning, debilitated, all worn out feeling, promptly use this great remedy, for it will cure you, and also ward off the most serious sickness or breaking down which your symptoms indicate.

It is warranted sure to relieve and cure nerve troubles as represented. For sale by Battles & Eichinger, druggists.

A NEW Tazewell club house is to be built on the Rider property, which with the ground will cost $12,000.

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THE machinery for the new cob-pipe factory at Forrest is now being set up and will soon be running.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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MISS S. A. NEWMAN, of Delavan, now a teacher in Iowa, will spend her summer vacation in Europe.

J. A. RICHARDSON, of Jefferson City, Mo., Chief Enrolling Force, 38th General Assembly of Missouri, writes: "I wish to testify to the merits of One Minute Cough Cure. When other so-called cures failed, I obtained almost instant relief and a speedy cure by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. Battles & Eichinger.

ONLY $900 was realized at the Tazewell county sale of lands for delinquent taxes this year.

B. H. BOWMAN, Pub. *Enquirer*, of Bremen, Ind., writes: "Last week our little girl baby, the only one we have, was taken sick with croup. After two doctors failed to give relief and life was hanging on a thread we tried One Minute Cough Cure, and its life was saved." Battles & Eichinger.

H. WAY, of Gibson, the newly appointed cadet, has taken his departure for West Point.

DOCTOR H. R. FISH, of Gravois Mills, Mo., a practicing physician of many years' experience, writes: "De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal for indolent sores, scalds and burns. It stops pain instantly, heals a burn quickly and leaves no scar. Battles & Eichinger.

HOOPESTON has 200 men at work on the street putting down the new brick paving.

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THE mayor has ordered that there must be no more music in the saloons at Pekin

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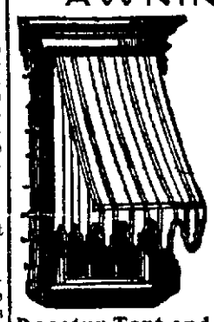

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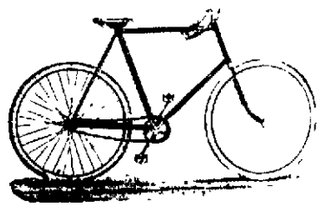

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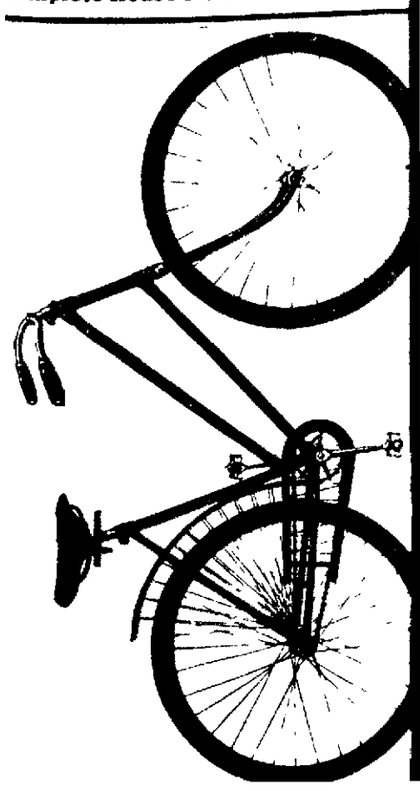

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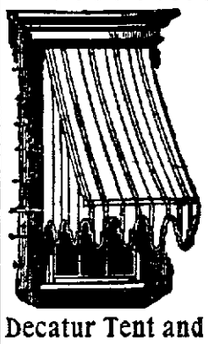

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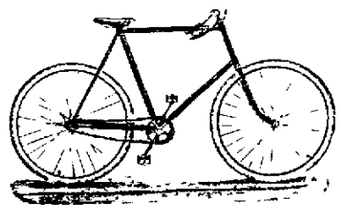

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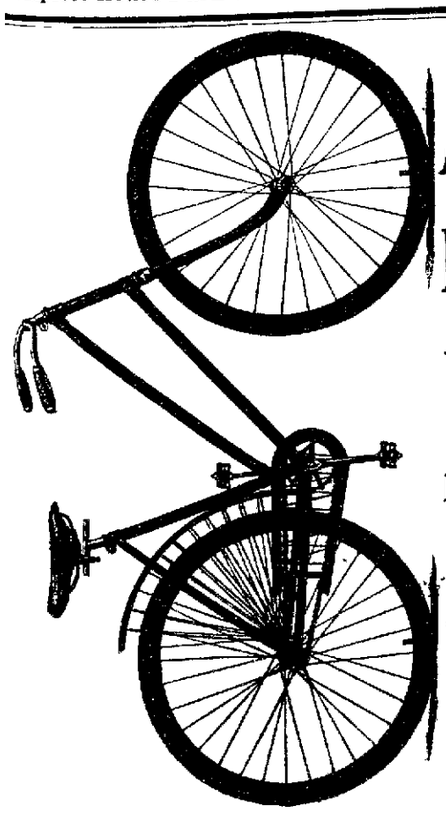

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THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

IN the Justice's court yesterday afternoon gamblers, saloon keepers and other violators of the law, paid fines aggregating $615.

CLIMATE does not affect Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It keeps and works in any climate.

I. W. GREEN, who took the contract for building the new Methodist church at Latham at $3,000 will have it finished by Sept. 1.

FESTIVAL Monday evening by the ladies of the U. B. congregation at the home of W. H. H. Slaughter, 535 East Herkimer street. Ice cream and cake will be served.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE two Indian women who have been sick in Decatur with the German measles will leave Decatur Sunday morning. The Barnum & Bailey circus will pass through the city on its way from Champaign to Centralia, and the two women who have about recovered will be put on the train.

A HEALTHY appetite, with perfect digestion and assimilation, may be secured by the use of Ayer's Pills. They cleanse and strengthen the whole alimentary canal and remove all obstructions to the natural functions of either sex, without any unpleasant effects.

THURSDAY night at Macon burglars entered the hardware store of Berchie & Gibson and stole between $150 and $175 worth of pocket knives, twenty-five cigars and a pair of shears. Entrance was gained by prying open the front door with an iron bar. The postoffice, located in the same building, was also ransacked and about $4 in pennies taken. The hardware store was broken into once before about two months ago.

THE Spencer & Lehman Co. have the exclusive agency of the celebrated Troy Carriage Co.'s surreys and carriages and the full line of Henney buggies. They will also carry a full assortment of buggies, surreys, phaetons and road wagons of lower grade. jan 25-d&wj1

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NOVELTIES IN FIREWORKS.

Result of a Year's Study to Be Shown at Night, July 4.

Fireworks makers have been racking their brains for novelties ever since July 5, 1894. Aerial bombs, flower gardens and other things of the kind have become too tame to satisfy.

Of all the novelties intended to contain as much latent Fourth of July enthusiasm as possible in small compass, the "Fusiasm" is said to be the sum of excellence. About the size of a cartridge, it sets free a spouting volcano of variegated illumination, ending with an eruption of golden lava and a shower of colored stars. The electric wheel is as harmless looking as an ordinary pinwheel. It blossoms under favorable conditions to a disk as large as a cartwheel, making sixteen changes of color meanwhile. The prismatic torrent rocket goes up in the manner habitual to rockets, and at the height of 1,000 feet throws out a regular Niagara of irridescent flame. Another from this airy altitude throws to the breeze an American flag 300 feet long.

The County Board.

The members of the board of supervisors finished their work Friday afternoon and went home. The proposed discussion of Supervisor Moffett's resolution on the money question was shut off by Supervisor Muirhead's motion that the resolution lie on the table. The motion was adopted. That ended it.

Bills amounting to $279 17 for supplies for court house and jail were allowed.

Bills against the pauper and poor farm fund amounting to $5,236 90 were allowed.

The claims of the county officers for salaries and fees were allowed, amounting to $3834.61.

The clerk was authorized to issue orders for transportation of paupers on presentation of orders from the overseer of the poor.

The contract for printing the proceedings of the board for the ensuing year was, on motion of Mr. Spence, awarded to the REPUBLICAN and *Herald-Despatch*.

The clerk was instructed to draw an order for the principal and interest to March 26, 1880, on bond No. 15 in payment of same upon presentation.

Another Two Years.

James J. Finn will continue to serve as the master in chancery for Macon county. In the circuit court Friday afternoon Judge Vail reappointed Mr. Finn for another term of two years. The office is one of considerable importance and to properly execute the duties of the position, a good, level headed lawyer is required. Mr. Finn conducts the business of the office very satisfactorily, being attentive to his business and adhering strictly to the law.

Gift of an Easy Chair.

Prof. F. W. Westhoff, who has been the instructor for the choir at the First Congregational church during the past three years, rested comfortably last night in a handsome and elegantly upholstered easy chair, which was presented to him by the members of the choir. Yesterday was the Professor's birthday, and the choir thought it would be a neat thing to remember their instructor with something both useful and ornamental.

Death of Howard Happer.

Howard Happer died at his home in West Liberty, Ia., Friday, June 14, aged 24 years. He was a former resident of Decatur and was employed as motorman on the street car line. He moved to Iowa about two years ago. The body will be brought to Maroa and the funeral will be held from the M. E. church in that city at 11 o'clock Sunday forenoon.

Musical Treat.

In the Seventh Ward last night there was an open-air concert by the Woodman Band which was heard with pleasure by hundreds of people. Residents of the neighborhood contributed to the fund. It is proposed to have more music out that way during the summer. It is a good thing and the people with their money are willing to help push it along.

Spring Chicks.

The shippers of poultry say that the spring chickens are coming in slowly and that those offered are scarcely fit for the market. The price ranges from 12½ to 16 cents a pound. The chicks received thus far have not averaged much above a pound, and have commanded only 12½ cents. Eggs are slow at 9½ cents a dozen.

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Paralyzed.

Capt. John W. Hartley, secretary of the Illinois Association of Mexican War Veterans, is sadly afflicted at present. He was partly paralyzed a few days ago, and now he is just able to get about by the use of canes. His left leg is affected below the knee.

Ice Cream Supper To-Night.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Salvation Army hall to-night. Everybody who is hot and want to be made cool, come and eat ice cream and cake and drink lemonade.

Ladies'

Bicycle leggins in many colors 50c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25. Latest New York styles at POWERS' SHOE STORE.

NEW LAWS ENACTED.

Synopsis of Bills Passed by the Present Legislature—The Adjournment.

The legislature adjourned yesterday after being in session since the 9th day of last January. Many good bills were passed and some bad ones. Many good bills were also defeated as well as some bad ones, but such is the fortune of all deliberative bodies where every member has the liberty of his own opinions and convictions. Outside of the regular appropriation bills and bills to erect two additional normal schools and one additional insane asylum, the bills passed were:

Empowering boards of trustees in towns within sanitary districts to levy taxes for corporate purposes, not to exceed 1½ per cent on the taxable property in 1895-97 inclusive, and not to exceed ½ of 1 per cent thereafter. (Affecting the Chicago drainage canal only.)

Another bill enacted authorizes drainage districts to issue interest-bearing bonds.

Providing that when improvements are made in incorporated cities or towns that the question of benefits to abutting property may be tested before the county court and the special tax for the same shall not exceed the benefit.

To enable cities and towns to collect a tax or license fee, of not to exceed 2 per cent of their gross local earnings from fire insurance companies doing business therein and not incorporated under the laws of Illinois; said tax to go to the local fire department fund.

Providing for the assessment of the stock of building and loan associations to each owner at the actual value of the stock.

Empowering city councils in cities of over 20,000 inhabitants to raise a special tax of not over 3 mills on the dollar for park purposes, said tax not to be included in the general sum of taxes as limited by law.

Making assessments in levee and drainage districts reviewable by county courts.

That all estates of a value of $20,000 or less shall be free of legacy or inheritance duty, provided that they are bequeathed to husband, wife, son or daughter, or adopted child of the decedent. An estate of $100,000 to $200,000 or more, may go free of duty, provided it be so divided among the relatives already named that none inherits more than $20,000. It is only on gifts or devises in excess of $20,000 that duty is levied. But when devises are made to more distant relatives than those already named a duty of 2 per cent shall be charged on all sums in excess of $2,000 received by each person; the duty becomes 3 per cent on all over $2,000 and less than $10,000, 4 per cent on over $10,000, and less than $20,000; 5 per cent on more than $20,000 and less than $50,000, and 6 per cent on all above $50,000 Direct heirs, as defined in the first clause, pay 1 per cent on all bequests of more than $20,000. Provisions are made for prevention of the evasion of the inheritance duty by deeding or giving property during the lifetime of the original owner.

Authorizing Chicago to levy an additional free library tax.

To prohibit the use of all oils in coal mines except pure animal or vegetable oils or other oils equally free from smoke and not over a maximum specific gravity of 24 degrees Taglibue, at 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

Making it unlawful to counterfeit any label, trade mark or advertising matter of a labor union, and providing that a facsimile of such be filed in the office of the secretary of state.

To make mine inspectors also inspectors of weights and measures at coal mines.

Increasing the number of state mine inspectors to seven; providing for the collection of a fund from the mines inspected for their pay; and allowing the appointment of a county mine inspector in counties producing 800,000 tons of coal per annum when the district inspector declares it necessary.

Fixing the compensation of members of the general assembly at $1000 for regular sessions and $5 per day for special sessions. The pay is now $5 per diem.

Providing for the Torrens system of registration and transfer of land titles in counties adopting the plan by popular vote. It creates the office of registrar in counties, and provides that he shall examine abstracts and certify to titles, which shall be prima facie evidence of ownership of the property.

Providing that franchises from city councils be given gas and electric companies only on petition of owners of more than one-half of the property on each mile or portion thereof on the streets and alleys involved.

Authorizing the formation and disbursement of a pension fund for school teachers and school employes serving twenty years in cities containing over 100,000 inhabitants, permitting them to assess themselves.

Increasing the number of school inspectors in the Joliet union of districts from six to seven to prevent deadlocks.

To authorize boards of education to establish and maintain kindergarten schools in cities where the people vote to adopt the system at a general election.

To amend the act regarding training schools for boys so as to allow a jury of six instead of twelve to sit on cases for proposed commitment to a school; making uniform rate of $10 per month fee boys sent by order of courts of record; providing that money for persons thus sent be paid without the existence of a contract previous to commitment, and striking out the clause preventing an application for an appropriation from the state.

To regulate civil service in cities adopting the act at a general election, by a non-political commission of three appointed by the mayor for a term of four years each, after partial terms for rotation are passed. Commission shall recommend all persons for civil appointment; removals from office to be only for cause, and providing for inspections, salaries, etc.

A bill by Senator Crawford also passed establishing civil service rules in the government of Cook county.

Giving to the circuit and superior courts in Cook county concurrent jurisdiction with county courts in election contests, and providing for a speedy settlement of such contests.

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211 NORTH WATER ST., DECATUR, ILL.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1895.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce JOHN R. DOUGHERTY as an independent candidate for Alderman in the Fifth ward.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

CHURCH OF GOD.
Corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets. C. F. Rogers, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Elder J. T. Finley. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Children college day at night. The public is cordially invited.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. A. W. Hawkins pastor. Services in W. C. T. U. hall. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. N. M. Baker. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST CHURCH.
At the Centenary U. B. church, corner of N. Broadway and Eldorado streets. Sunday school at 9:30, Supt. Thomas Wells. A short sermon to children at 10:30 a. m. and public preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor, E. B. Maurer. At 7:45 p. m. children's day exercises. Interesting program. All invited.

CHRISTIAN TABERNACLE.
Church street, between Eldorado and North. Elder Geo. F. Hall, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., D. C. Brown supt. Communion at 10:45, followed by sermon on "Three Ways of Growing Rich." Evening service at 8; subject: "The Final Census." Special music and brief services during the heated term.
Edmund Street Chapel School at 9 a. m.
Riverside Mission School at 2:30 p. m.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH.
Hardin Smith, pastor. Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., by the pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; Perry Orr, Supt. Morning subject: "Idleness and Its Results." Evening subject: "The Young Christian Falling Back."

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.
Bible lesson study at 10:45 a. m. Subject "The Morning Meal by the Sea of Galilee." Wednesday evening study at 7:45. Front rooms, second floor. Review B'ld'g, 365 N. Main street.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Cor. N. Water and E. North streets. Rev. John D. Jordan, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Intermediate Y. P. S. C. E., Sunday evening at 6:30. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday evening at 7:30. Morning subject, "Home Missions." Evening, "We Would See Jesus."
East Park Boulevards Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

A. M. E. CHURCH.
Regular preaching by the pastor. Sunday School and other services at the usual hours.

SOUTH BROADWAY BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. G. M. Moore, pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:45 p. m. by William Price.

FIRST ENGLISH EV'NG. LUTHERAN.
Corner of N. Main and William streets. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Morning theme. "A Rich Fool and a Wise Pauper."

ST. LUKE'S LUTHERAN CHAPEL.
Corner Leafland Ave. and Charles St. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.
Rev. Frank N. Atkin rector. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon on "The Holy Communion" at 10:30 a. m. Evening service and sermon at 8:00.
Grace Mission, (Episcopal) East Eldorado street—Sunday school at 3 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
W. H. Penhallegon, D. D., pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m. The pastor will preach in the morning. In the evening Miss Mary McLeod, a young colored lady of Scotia Seminary, Concord, N. C., will speak.
Strangers and all others not worshiping elsewhere are cordially invited.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.
Corner of Mason street and Haworth avenue. Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. J. Simpson, Supt.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells, Supt.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. D. F. Howe pastor. Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by Rev. T. J. Wheat, D. D., of Mattoon.

SARGEANT'S CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 3:15 p. m.

CHURCH STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Sunday school every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in 1800 block North Church street. All persons in that neighborhood cordially invited

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Corner of Church and Eldorado streets. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:45. Subject "The Hidden Life." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:45. Subject, "The Interrogation in Life."
Mayflower Mission Sunday school, corner West Green and Dunham streets, at 2:30 p. m.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.
R. G. Hobbs, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Morning subject "Heavenly Mansions." In the evening Rev. A. M. Danely will lecture to the young people.
Mission Sunday school, corner Herkimer street and Broadway, at 9 a. m.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.
Corner of North Jackson and East North streets. J. C. Rapp, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject: "Children's Day." All children especially invited. Epworth League meeting at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All Germans cordially invited.

Y. M. C. A.
Gospel service in the rooms in Columbia block at 4:00 p. m. Men invited. Captain Cooper, of the Salvation Army, will speak on "Practical Christianity."

IT is full of strength till the last spoonful is used, Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

More Bad Luck.

Sam Ritchie, who ran a nail into his foot, has about regained his normal condition, though he does limp a little yet. It is reported that he and his wife will shortly leave on a tour through the south, and will probably visit several of the southern states.—*Warrensburg Enterprise.*

Sam is the editor who was assaulted in Decatur recently by A. J. Gasaway.

Grand Excursion to Mackinaw.

Take your family and go with the Woodman Band to Mackinaw on Sunday, June 16, and enjoy a day of rest and music. Fare $1.00 for the round trip. Tickets for sale at the Union Depot and at the city ticket office of the P., D. & E. 8-dtf

Camp-Meeting.

The colored camp-meeting will begin at Oakland Park, June 20, to continue ten days. Able ministers from Kentucky and Indiana will preach every night. Good music. All invited. june7 dtf

Linen Shoes

For ladies, in high cut, button and lace, $1.75, are one of the new things of the present for sale at Powers' Shoe Store.
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NEW LAWS ENACTED.

Synopsis of Bills Passed by the Present Legislature—The Adjournment.

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Changing terms of circuit court in DuPage, Kendall and Lake counties.

Providing that when cities or villages are incorporated hereafter, copies of the proceedings in the county court shall be filed in the offices of the county recorder and the secretary of state, legalizing municipal corporations whose charters have been lost or destroyed.

To allow clerks of the circuit and probate counties of the second-class the same per diem allowed county clerks and sheriffs in such counties.

To prevent the entry of horses for races under false or changed names, except as allowed by the association governing the race, and making records of such association admissible as evidence in court.

Authorizing the sale of live stock seized under writs of attachment

To allow conservators to settle up estates of deceased charges without taking out administration papers.

Reducing the time limit for contesting will from three to two years—the same limit as that for the settlement of estates.

To permit cemetery associations to own all the land they deem necessary for their purpose, not limiting them to 20 acres as heretofore.

Allowing soldiers and sailors in the state home at Quincy, when they become insane, to be transferred to a state hospital for the insane without being charged to any county.

Providing that contests for nominations in primary elections be tried before the state central committees of the political parties interested, instead of before the state board of review.

To amend the election law so as to give county boards the power to divide election precincts containing over 300 voters into two precincts as they may see fit.

Amending the law for the election of assessors in townships having a population of between 40,000 and 80,000 inhabitants, providing for a board of three assessors, who shall hold office for one, two and three years respectively, and one assessor shall be elected annually thereafter. (Applies only to Cook county.)

Creating the Illinois Farmers' institute to consist of three delegates from each county, elected annually, by the county farmers institute. The Illinois Farmers' Institute shall be managed by a board of directors consisting of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Professor of agriculture of the University of Illinois, Presidents of the state Boards of Agriculture, State Horticultural society, and State Dairymen's Association.

Another bill appropriates $50 per annum to each farmers' institute.

Providing that only actual damages can be recovered in suits for libel, and allowing publiished retractions to be considered in arriving at a verdict—bill of A. J. Jones, of Chicago.

Providing that the owner of a promissory note can sue both the maker and the endorser in the same action.

Repealing the law for days of grace and making promissory notes fall due on the next succeeding business day when the date of expiration is Sunday or a legal holiday.

Making it a penitentiary offense to steal news dispatches from telegraph or telephone wires.

Increasing the fees 50 per cent for registering increase of stock by corporations in the office of the secretary of state.

Prohibiting geese running at large in cities and villages.

Providing for the relief of indigent soldiers to be distributed through Grand Army posts.

Authorizing the Lincoln Park commissioners to acquire additional land on the lake side of the park.

Giving the state board of pharmacy full power to control practice of pharmacy in Illinois.

Providing for the parole system in the penitentiaries.

Creating and providing for the disbursement of a pension fund for disabled fire insurance patrolmen.

Appropriating $65,400 to erect a monument to mark the positions which Illinois troops occupied in the battles of Chicamauga, Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge.

State Home for the disabled mothers, wives and widows of deceased soldiers, and carries with it an appropriation of $20,000.

Appropriating $25,000 to erect a monument to Elijah P. Lovejoy at Alton.

Appropriating to William E. Henry, a member of the Illinois National Guard, who was injured in the riots in Chicago last year, $2,500.

Providing that where the 2 per cent permitted by law to be levied to carry on schools from five to nine months in duration is not sufficient to maintain the school for a period of nine months the assessment may be increased sufficiently to maintain a nine months' school.

Appropriating $2,500 to J. A. Cowan, who was injured at the World's Fair, while a member of the Illinois National Guard, which necessitated the amputation of a leg.

Appropriating $400 for a memorial stone to be presented by the state and to be placed in the Francis Scott Key Monument at Baltimore, Md.

Appropriating $1,200 for the erection of a monument to ex-Gov. Ford at Peoria.

Regarding the enforcement of judgments and decrees and the redemption of real estate sold under execution or decree.

To compel the payment of debts for labor in bankable currency.

To include in judgments for wages the services of a laborer's horse and team.

A supplemental act to prevent the coloring yellow of any substance designed to be used as a substitute for butter or chees and to regulate the lawful manufacture of substitutes for butter and cheese and to prevent the sale of impure milk.

Prohibiting a person or persons from blocking the passage of another on the highways.

Amending the law in relation to township organization.

To prevent the spread of hog cholera.

Dividing townships into three districts and providing that no two road commissioners shall be chosen from the same district.

Amending the circuit court law outside of Cook county.

Amending the law in relation to fractional school districts by allowing them to join any adjoining district.

Prohibiting the use of clock, tape, slot or other machines for gambling purposes.

Prohibiting county judges from practicing in their own courts.

Enabling religious associations and traveling men's associations to do fraternal beneficiary business.

Making a thoroughfare of Thirty-fifth street from Grand to Michigan boulevard, Chicago.

Requiring fire-escapes on four story buildings, except dwellings.

Providing for the payment of interest on municipal warrants drawn in anticipation of a tax levy after thirty days at the rate of 5 per cent per annum.

Appropriating $750 to John Scanlon for injuries received while a member of the Illinois National Guard.

Appropriating $10,000 to pay the employes of the present general assembly.

Appropriating $3,000 to establish a a laboratory for the propagation of pure vaccine virus.

Amending the law in relation to the incorporation of companies. It provides a fee to be paid to the Secretary of State of $30 for companies of a capital stock of $5,000 and under, and over that amount and up to $50,000 the fee shall be $50, and $1 for each $1,000 of capital stock over that amount.

Providing for a system for the paroling of convicted criminals.

Providing for the abatement of assessments for benefits in levy and drainage districts. Where the levy has been in excess of the amount necessary a taxpayer may petition the county court for repayment of the excess.

Regulating the control of railroads of adjoining states leased in this state.

Authorizing county judges to release poorhouse children when suitable homes can be found for them.

Repealing the law in relation to the issuing of fee bills.

Providing that at tax sales the bidding shall be by percentages.

Amends the election law by increasing the salary of judges and clerks of Cook county from $3 to $5 a day.

Making the stealing of water and electricity a penal offense.

Exempting certain personal property from attachment and sale.

Providing for the examination of pit bosses in mines.

Providing that all criminals confined for four months shall be discharged or given a trial.

Providing for the remission of fees of clerks of county courts in cases of widows and orphans when the estate is less than $500.

Amending the chattel mortgage law and compelling chattel mortgage foreclosures to be sold in the county in which the mortgagor resides.

Requiring miners to remain out of the room 15 minutes after firing a shot.

Providing for the placing of flags on school houses and public buildings.

Allowing consolidation of county insurance companies.

Preventing barber shops from being k[illegible] on Sunday.

To protect employes in their claim for wages.

Appropriating $105,000 for the erection of an institution for the criminal insane.

Providing that highway commissioners may condemn land under right of eminent domain for the purpose of opening gravel pits for improvement of roads.

Amending the road and bridge law in counties under township organization.

Providing that where bequests are made to educational institutions the trustees may incorporate.

Revising entire mechanic's lein law.

Preventing making of false schedules for the purpose of justifying as bondsmen in civil and criminal cases.

To cure defects in the certificates of acknowledgment of deeds.

Providing for placing of flags on public buildings.

Changes time of holding court in Hancock county.

Amending the law in relation to the assessment of property and levy and collection of taxes.

Providing that incorporated companies may be dissolved when they cease to be profitable.

INTELLIGENT housewives will have the best. That's why they all use Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Sales of Real Estate.

J. A. Wray to E. S. Wray, 40 acres in 25, 16, 1 east—$1,000.

Anna K. Kloro to Albert Barries, lot 5, block 17, Moore's addition—$3,000.

H. M. Wood to E. W. Wood, lot 5, block 17, South addition—$3,000.

H. A. Wood to Mary J. Shrader, lot 8, block 7, Walnut Grove addition—$225.

Eugene Linxwiler to J. F. Faries, lot 20, block 7, Walnut Grove addition—$250.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors that she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at King & Hubbard's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and $1.00. em

C. MATTISON, of Gibson, has a "burro" which he brought from Colorado.

W. T. SANFORD, Station Agent at Leeper, Clarion Co., Pa., writes: "I can recommend One Minute Cough Cure as the best I ever used It gave instant relief and a quick cure." Battles & Eichinger.

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Wash Suits, in Lawn and Organdy, $3.49 and $5.
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Wrappers, 500 doz., in Calico, Percale and Gingham, at 49c, 72c, 94c, $1.25, $1.49, $1.75 and $2.25.
Tea Gowns, in Silk, Cashmere, Crepon, Dimity, Lawn, Etc., all the latest materials and newest effects.
Ladies' Dressing Sacques, light, cool and airy; prices very low.
Children's Dresses, in Gingham Challie and all the new wash fabrics, at 75c to $5.
Silk Waists—50 fine Imported Pattern Waists, $9.98; this includes our $15, $20 and $25 Pattern Waists.

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Lace Curtains of every description, from 50c to $50 per pair.
Chenille Portiers, Tapestry Portiers,
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The largest and most complete stock of Draperies in Central Illinois.
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Balance of our Spring stock to close out regardless of cost.
Jackets, $1.99 up.
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LACES.

Valenciennes and Point Desprit Laces and Insertions in the new Buerre color.
Black Chantilly Lace, 3 to 9 inches wide, 7c, 9c and 15c.
Point Venice Insertion, 3c and 4c per yard.
Novelties in Spangled Insertions.
Silk Blouses, 98c.
Dotted Swiss Fronts for Duck Suits.

SILKS.

Wash Silks reduced to 29c.
Printed China Silks reduced to 19c.
Swivel Silks reduced to 29c.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

Special Sale all week of hot Summer Dress Goods Stock complete.
Printed India Dimities, beautiful light styles, regular price 12½c; special 9c.
Figured Organdies, black grounds for a cool summer dress, at 9c per yard.
Javanese Cloth, 33 inches wide, light or dark [illegible] fabric, at 10c per yard.
Bengal Blue Dimities, dainty stripes and figures, worth 20c, this week 10c per yard.
India Linen, excellent quality, 10 pieces only which sold at 7½c.
Real Dotted Swisses, all white, embroidered dots this week at 20c a yard.
India Linens (white), checked and striped, a bargain, at 8⅓c per yard.
Real Scotch Lawn, perfectly fast colors, one case only at 4½c per yard.
Standard Prints, medium and dark grounds beautiful patterns, this week only 3⅞c per yard.
Best quality Shirting Prints, all light grounds 25 pieces, only 3½c per yard.
One case Fine Dress Gingham, small neat checks and stripes, one week only at 3¾c per yard.

SALE OF CARPETS.

A clearing sale of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings
All-wool extra super Ingrain, reduced to 49c
Lowell super Ingrain reduced to 52½c.
Extra heavy Welton Velvet reduced to 98c.
Moquetts reduced to 97½c.
10-wire Tapestry reduced to 69c.
8-wire Tapestry reduced to 57½c.
China and Japanese Matting reduced to 7½c, 8½c and 10c.
Shades 7 feet long, good spring roller, reduced to 15c.
500 Curtain Poles and Trimmings complete, 10c.
China Rugs, 18x36, 37½c.
China Rugs, 30x60, $1.00.
China Rugs, 36x72, $1.50.
Smyrna Rugs, 30x60, former price $3, cut to $1.98
A large four-leaf Japanese Screen 5 feet high, $4.00
Three-leaf, 54 inch high, gold leaf, $2.98 each, a bargain.
Hammocks from 85c to $3.50; a large assortment to select from.
Lace Curtain Stretchers reduced from $2.25 to $1.49

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Closing out entire line at the following low prices
67 pieces Manchester Wool Challies, 24 inches wide formerly sold at 25c, at 9c.
75 pieces 28-inch Challies, light and dark grounds, formerly sold at 35c, at 19c.

A Cackling Hen

May be excused for making an awfully big racket over a mighty little egg, but when she cackles for an hour over a china door knob, it's time to throw a brick at her. There is also some excuse for a merchant cackling a good deal over a genuine bargain, but when the so-called bargain turns out to be a door knob bargain, it is time somebody threw a brick or a "shoo" at the noisy thing. There's an awful lot of cackling about bargains going on, but we know them to be door knob bargains, so here goes our brick. We'll meet any price, show better quality for the same money, and do as well if not better by you than any other firm in Decatur. No door knob bargains here.

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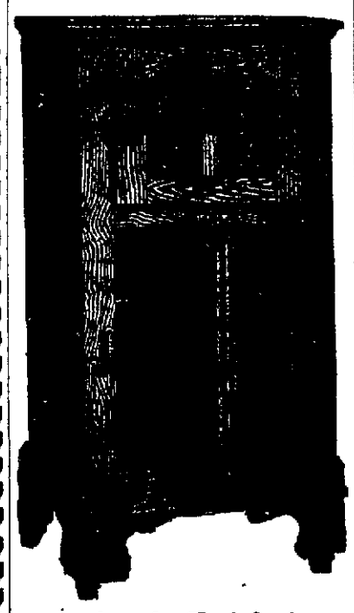

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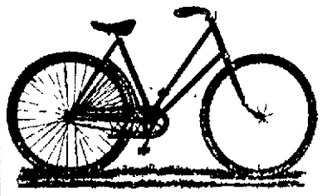

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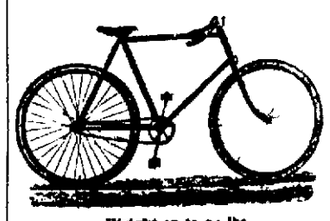

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SPECIAL ELECTION.

Public notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the Fifth ward of the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the 9th day of July A. D. 1895, between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, as provided by law.

The city council has designated the following places in which said election shall be held: For voting precinct number one of the said Fifth ward at No. 802 East Eldorado street, in the Krafts Bottling works. For voting precinct number two of said Fifth ward, at No. [illegible] North Calhoun street, known as Witt's building.

The following city officer is to be elected at said election, to-wit: One Alderman for the unexpired remainder of the present municipal year.

Done by order of the city council of said city this 13th day of June, A. D. 1895.
F. L. HAYS, City Clerk.
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I., D. & W. Railway.

Side trips from Decatur via I., D. & W. account German Baptist meeting. From June [illegible] to 23d the I., D. & W. will sell excursion tickets to those holding return portion of tickets issued by another road on account of the German Baptist meeting, at one fare for the round trip to all points on the following roads: The Indiana, Decatur & Western, the Big Four via Indianapolis, the C. & E. I. via Hillsdale, the P. P. & [illegible] via Hillsdale and C. & E. I., the L. N. A. & C. via Rosedale or Indianapolis, the T. H. & I. & C. via Metcalf. Tickets good going on date of sale. Good returning up to and including June 24, 1895.
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CARPET COMPANY.

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Figured Organdies, black grounds for a cool summer dress, at 9c per yard.

Javanese Cloth, 33 inches wide, light or dark, a new fabric, at 10c per yard.

Bengal Blue Dimities, dainty stripes and figures, worth 20c, this week 10c per yard.

India Linen, excellent quality, 10 pieces only, will b sold at 7½c.

Real Dotted Swisses, all white, embroidered dots, this week at 20c a yard.

India Linens (white), checked and striped, a bargain, at 5½c per yard.

Real Scotch Lawn, perfectly fast colors, one case only at 4½c per yard.

Standard Prints, medium and dark grounds, beautiful patterns, this week only 3⅞c per yard.

Best quality Shirting Prints, all light grounds, 25 pieces, only 3½c per yard.

One case Fine Dress Gingham, small neat checks and stripes, one week only at 3¾c per yard.

SALE OF CARPETS.

A clearing sale of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings.

All wool extra super Ingrain, reduced to 49c.

Lowell super Ingrain reduced to 52½c.

Extra heavy Welton Velvet reduced to 98c.

Moquette reduced to 97½c.

10 wire Tapestry reduced to 69c.

8 wire Tapestry reduced to 57½c.

China and Japanese Matting reduced to 7½c, 8½c and 10c

Shades 7 feet long, good spring roller, reduced to 15c.

500 Curtain Poles and Trimmings complete, 13½c.

China Rugs, 18x36, 37½c.

China Rugs, 30x60, $1.00.

China Rugs, 36x72, $1.50.

Smyrna Rugs, 30x60, former price $3, cut to $1.98.

A large four leaf Japanese Screen 5 feet high, $1.93.

Three leaf, 54 inch high, gold leaf, $2.98 each; a bargain.

Hammocks from 85c to $3.50; a large assortment to select from.

Lace Curtain Stretchers reduced from $2.25 to $1.49.

CHALLIES.

Closing out entire line at the following low prices:

67 pieces Manchester Wool Challies, 24 inches wide formerly sold at 25c, at 9c.

75 pieces 28-inch Challies, light and dark ground, formerly sold at 35c, at 19c.

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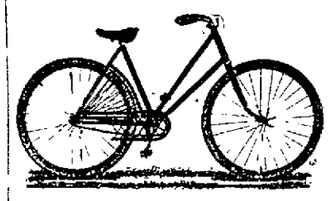

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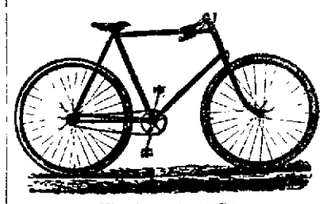

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CHAT

Events in the Religious World.

—The United Brethren have a Junior Endeavor.

—The U. B. Endeavorers have pledged $10 to one of their foreign missions.

—The lesson for June 16 is found in I John 4; 1-21. Subject: "The Proof of Our Allegiance to Christ."

—On Sunday, June 16, some of the Decatur Endeavorers will attend the Harristown Endeavor which belongs to the Christian church in that city.

—Crimson and white are the convention colors.

—Meetings will be held the 23d at the following places in the country: Warrensburg, Mis Knapp leader; Macon, S. Lehman leader, and Mt. Zion, Miss Mitchell leader. The leaders are busily preparing for these meetings.

—A christian man in the country has been giving the eggs laid on Sunday by his hens, as an extra missionary gift.

—Misses Celeste and Clara Hoffman of the First M. E. Endeavor society, will attend the Boston convention.

—There are over 600 Endeavorers in Decatur.

—The Intermediate Endeavor society of the First M. E. church will hold a picnic at Fairview Park in the near future.

—During this warm season the endeavorers should keep good citizenship pledges and work before their members. One society in this city has signed a pledge by which they promise not to patronize any store on the Sabbath unless in case of sickness or where it is absolutely necessary.

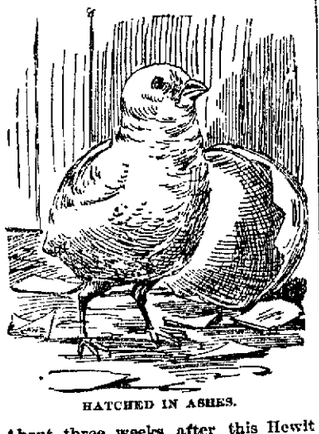
—Two of the Intermediate Endeavorers of the First M. E. Society have received letters from children in Gonda, India, telling of the dolls and scrapbooks received by them from the Intermediates.

—The president of the Philadelphia Union also wrote to the "Sunshine committe" thanking them for some "comfort-bags" which they sent. Some of these are now with sailors on their way to Calcutta, others to China.

HATCHED IN ASHES.

A Chicken Makes Its Appearance in Peculiar Circumstances.

H. M. Hewit, of Burton, La., had the misfortune to have his henhouse attacked by mites pretty early in the season, and about three months ago he removed the roof, so that the house might be thoroughly aired, sunned and washed by the rains. He also built a temporary shelter for the fowls on the other side of the yard, filled the old nests with ashes and tried to wean the chickens away till everything was in readiness for them. It transpired that an old hen, who felt the love of locality strong in her breast, refused to be comforted in the new abode, and returned to the old home, laying her eggs in the ashes which filled her former nest. It was some days before the perigrinations of this old hen were discovered, but at length the nest was broken up and the hen shut up in solitary confinement, that there might be no fear of her spreading the mites broadcast among the other fowls.



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About three weeks after this Hewit went in the old henhouse to investigate the mite question, when what was his astonishment to hear a young chicken cheeping. He looked in all directions, thinking one might have wandered over from the new fowl yard, and it was some time before he found that a little chicken was just bursting the shell in the nest among the ashes where the old hen had laid.

Knowing beyond a doubt that none of the fowls had been in the house for a period of three weeks. Hewit was forced to conclude that he had overlooked an egg that day when he cooped up the old hen. The result was that this egg, having lain buried in the ashes, was warmed by the sun during the long-continued drought which that section is now experiencing, until incubation took place spontaneously, as it were, and the little chicken came forth a veritable child of the sun.

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65c a Dozen.

Mason quart fruit jars complete at Great Eastern Coffee & Tea Co., 143 East Main street.

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Tokios

Are the new styles just received at Powers' Shoe Store. june11-d&w-1w

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THE I., D. & W. pay car is here to-day

SEALED BIDS.

DECATUR, ILL., June 15, 1895.
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Education until Thursday, June 20, for washing and whitening all walls and ceilings of the High School building. D. S. SHELLABARGER, Pres.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. june15-d6

TROUBLE MAY FOLLOW.

An Unsuccessful Strike of Russian Jew Cloakmakers.

MAYS LANDING, N. J., June 15.—Twelve Russian Jew cloakmakers in the factory of the Mispeh Improvement Co. at Mispeh, six miles from here, went on strike Thursday because the firm discharged the foreman, Harry Green, who is a Knight of Labor, as are the twelve others. After Green's discharge the twelve employes demanded his reinstatement, and failing to secure it they quit work and made such a demonstration that the factory was placed under the guard of officers. The factory is working, and new men will be procured to take the places of the strikers. Trouble is feared when the new hands arrive.

An Embezzling Treasurer Arrested.

HARLEM, N. J., June 16.—Joseph F. Reev, treasurer of Woodstown borough, was arrested and held in bail for embezzlement yesterday. A shortage of $2,000 has so far been discovered. Unsuccessful business enterprises caused the shortage.

THE more used, the better liked—Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

A. SAAL, of Pekin, is laying 10,000 feet of cement walk in Ottawa.

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Poll Tax Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons owing poll tax in Decatur township, that on and after the first Monday in July, 1895, the same will be placed in the hands of a justice of the peace for collection, and that costs will be added.

CHAS. E. WHEELER,
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Commissioners of Highways of Decatur Township. 15:d3t

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Miss Cecile Lindsay

WILL GIVE A FREE

Viavi Lecture

To Young Ladies,

Friday, June 21, at 3. p. m.,

At the Viavi Lecture Rooms, Review Building.

SUBJECT:

OUR * MOTHERS.

Take elevator to third floor at North street entrance.

OUR
Prices the Lowest.
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You can save your money by trading at this store, the oldest store of its kind in Decatur.

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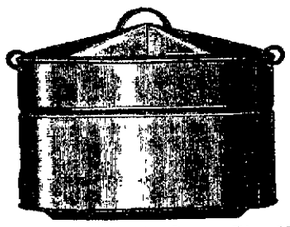

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Extra Quality Japanned, 35c; Galvanized Iron (no rust) 40c.

PRESERVING KETTLES.

10c 12c 15c

18c 23c 25c

Jelly Glasses, tin top, per doz,	30c
Mason Jars, per doz	75c and up
Croquet Sets	65, 75, 98c
Ice Cream Freezers	$1.69
Hammocks	68c, 88c
Window Shades	18c
Curtain Poles complete	18c
Lamps	20c, 25c

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WANTED.

WANTED—You to know that you can get hay, oats, corn, ground feed &c., at very lowest prices at the Decatur Feed Mills, North Broadway, No. 141-149. Telephone 551. Very lowest prices and prompt delivery. june14-d1w

WANTED—You to know that I have a large stock of goods which must be sold, consisting of bedroom suits, baby wagons, sewing machines, 5 gasoline stoves, mattresses, hair, wool, moss and cotton top, etc., at 216 West Main. W. F. MARTIN. june13-d6

WANTED—The ladies of Decatur to know that Mrs. Bowman, Central block, is prepared to do all manner of hair work. Ladies' hair dressing a specialty. My work is my reference. MRS. BOWMAN. june13-d1w

WANTED—A girl to do housework at the Poor farm, in the family of the steward. Will pay $3 per week. june10-d1w

REAL ESTATE WANTED—Have purchasers for vacant inside property on West Eldorado, North, William, Prairie, Main, Wood or Macon streets. What have you? Report lowest cash price. Josiah M. Clokey, 317 North Water. june13-d1w

WANTED—The people to know that they can buy first-class second-hand furniture and stoves of us at half-price. We have a splendid line of second-hand lounges and parlor suits newly upholstered and refinished, just as good as new, bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Chicago Second Hand Store, 259 East Main street, first door west of Grindel's marble shop. All kinds of furniture repairing done at short notice. april8-d1f

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—If you need spectacles or eyeglasses, you should call on Miss Nesbit, North Park street. Prices are the best, and all work equal to the best. june14-d6

FOR SALE—A good paying business. For particulars inquire of J. P. Adams, St. James Hotel. june12-d6*

FOR SALE—New and second hand household furnishings bought, sold and exchanged at 933 North Water street. Some choice bargains. Live and Let Live. june8-d6*

FOR SALE—The greatest thing in ice cream can be found at E. S. Spencer's Kandy Kitchen, North Water street. A full supply for you from now on. Also a nice line of those pure home made kandies for which the kitchen is celebrated. june5-d6

FOR SALE—Do you know that Abraham, 545 North Water street, has the very best Ice Cream that can be made. Order for the family and you will be pleased. Orders solicited for festivals and parties. Cream nicely packed. Patrons who use our cream are our best references. 8-d7*

FOR SALE—Tee famous Walter A. Wood and Minneapolis Binders and Mowers. Repairs for same constantly on hand. Also Corn Planters, Cultivators, Pumps and Windmills. Binding Twine on hand. R. A. Kelly, 557 North Water street. March 15-d1f

FOR SALE—A very large Grocer's Refrigerator; has glass doors and in first class condition. A rare bargain for some one needing a box of this kind. Chicago Cheap Store, 259 East Main street. June 8-d

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

FOUND—A pocket-book containing a sum of money. Book found in road northeast of Decatur. Owner calling on Thomas Lord, corner of Decatur and College streets, proving property and paying for this notice. 8-d6*

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grand, pictures is at ABKAMS' gallery, over Peddecord, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best ambrotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. july7dtf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water street, over E. D. Bartholomew's Queensware house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN—Farm loans at 6 per cent annual interest, home money; no delay, if title to land is good; second mortgage 7 per cent commissions reasonable; loans on city property made on short notice at current rates. Jack & Allison, Ullrich Block. apr30-d&wtf

PEGRAM AND COMPANY—Investment Brokers, Room 3, over Decatur National Bank. We loan money on all kinds of security. You can pay at any time and in any amounts and save interest on the amount paid, or we will loan on monthly payments if you may wish to pay that way. We loan money for the interest and do not want the security you borrow upon. All loans are private and confidential. dec13-d&wtmo

LOANS.—I have plenty of money for first mortgage farm or city property. Also money to lend on second mortgage, personal or other good security. Money paid at once if title is accepted. No delay. Samuel McBride, 215 N Main street, Decatur, Ill. june11-d6mos

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyancing. Apply to WALTER & WALTER, room 30, Arcade office building, Decatur novl-dtf

ED. P. JOHNSON, Real Estate and Loan Agent. Money to loan in large or small amounts on all kinds of furniture, live stock or real estate security. All business strictly confidential. Office open Saturday nights. Rooms 43 and 44, Arcade Office building. nov26-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 149 S. Water St. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. First stairway north of Brunswick hotel. feb13-dtf

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

Kuny & Johns' Bulletin.

FOR SALE—43 acres adjoining the city, suitable for platting. Very fine.
12 lots in the north part of town. Cheap.
6-room house on West Macon at a bargain if taken soon.
6-room dwelling on North Water. Cheap.
80-foot corner on East North. Must be sold.
Vacant lots in all parts of the city.
Improved property for sale and trade.
Business chances in all lines.
Money to loan on real estate, 6 per cent. Farm loans a specialty.

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FOR SALE—We have three elegant new 8-room houses with modern improvements that we offer to sell to good parties on the installment plan at the rate of $25 per month. These houses are located in the northwest part of the city.
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FOR SALE—5-room house, East Orchard st; well and cistern—$1350. Five room, North College, new—$1800. Seven-room, North Union, well, cistern and city water, with barn—$2800. Five-room, East William, well, cistern, cellar, with barn, corner lot—$1800. Mellhorn & Reeser, 117 East Main st. 8-d6

160X182, Four lots, east front, $400 a piece or $1,300 for all, part cash, balance on payments, one block from street cars, nice houses all around these lots. You cannot better yourself. See Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 249 North Main street. june6-dtf

SIX LOTS on North Union street, the handsomest in the north part of the city; $1000 for all or $750 for three of them. You can make some money on these. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 249 North Main st. June 6-dtf

FOR SALE—House of nine rooms, bath room and laundry; hot and cold water in four rooms, barn with two box stalls, also cow shed $3422; lot 116x132 feet; located corner of Travis street and Lincoln avenue in Riverside. Apply on premises or address Frank P. Roddy, lock box, 346, Decatur, Ill. aug25-dtf

THREE forty foot lots, east front, on North Church street; $800 takes them—part cash, balance on easy terms. See Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 249 North Main street. June 6-dtf

TO TRADE For city property, a farm of 80 acres, only three miles from Lincoln Square on gravel road. Business property preferred. Apply to W. Z. Walmsley over Cheap Charley's. apr26-dtf

FOR SALE—House of four rooms, well and cistern, lot 40x150 feet, located at 600 East Edmond street. Address Frank P. Roddy, lock box 346, Decatur, Ill. aug25-dtf

MISCELLANEOUS.

JOHN, said Mrs. Newwife, Zurlseller & Son will receive a carload of apples and potatoes from Arkansas, and I want you to order up a supply. If you don't, I'll go home to mother. This is the first carload ever sent to Decatur in June. june15-d6

WRITERS WANTED to do copying at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio. june15-d6

PARTIES that have a little capital to invest will find it to their interest to call on J. P. Adams, St. James Hotel. Best of references furnished. June13-d6*

SECOND-HAND GOODS bought and sold. Come and see us. If we haven't got what you want will try and get it for you. Gasoline stoves cleaned and repaired. S. J. SANDERS, 756 North Water street. june10-d1w

BUGGIES AND WAGONS.—Red Front, Franklin street, between North and William streets, is the place to buy all kinds of Wagons, broad and narrow tire; also both wood and iron fellos. All our wagons have patent sand arrester skein, which outlasts all others. Come and see. JOHN A. BROWN, Red Front, 229 Franklin street. Telephone 435 old company; telephone 64 new company. [May 17-d&w1m

PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS.
GEO. M. WOOD,
June 8-d&w1m* 135 South Water st.

NEW HOME and Standard Sewing Machines at Geo. W. Davidson's, 221 North Main street. Sewing machines satisfactorily repaired on short notice. 8-d6

MANUFACTURING CONCERN desires to appoint one energetic business man in Decatur (and every city not already taken.) Applicant must furnish few hundred dollars cash capital to pay for goods on delivery after orders have been secured for same. No humbug, no money in advance, previous experience unnecessary. We are manufacturing a specialty, almost a monopoly, not a luxury, something which will reduce expenses; needed by every firm, factory, mill, hotel, store, etc., throughout the land. From $200 to $400 monthly can be made. References required. F. E. VAIL, Morse Building, New York. June 8-d6

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS in new and second-hand Furniture, Stoves of all kinds, a number of Refrigerators, good as new, and Gasoline Stoves; also 50 yards of Cocoa Matting, cheap. W. M. Chance, 249 East Main st. 8-d2w

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office over Piper's Studio, opposite Library block

NOTICE—I have a number of choice farm lands near Storm Lake, Iowa. Also Macon county and Southern Illinois. Improved and unimproved city property. Will sell county right for the Portable Oven or Sponge Raiser. Call on F. F. Williams, 300 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. june7-d1

T. M. HOBART who formerly practiced law in Ohio, has opened an office at 122 Merchant street, over the City Book store and will do a general law business. june4-d1m*

HAVE a fine stock of bedding and blooming plants of all kinds. It is now time for planting pansies, verbenas, roses, etc. N. Bommersbach. aprl9-dtf

A ROMANTIC wedding in high life has been reported in the daily papers. Mr. X called on Miss Y and was invited to stay for dinner. He was charmed with the scolloped potatoes and when informed that Miss Y was the cook, proposed, was accepted and the nuptials followed. The lucky potatoes were the Montana Rose, and you can find them at Zurlseller & Son's, 149 North Broadway. May 17-d

PUMPS—E. A. Kelly has opened his agricultural implement store at 557 North Water street. He carries all the latest and best designs of pumps and pots in the celebrated I. X. L. windmill, acknowledged the best in use. Prices very low for first class goods and work. nov17-dtf

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. R. FOSTER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street. fy1-dtf

WHY do people complain of hard times, when any woman or man can make from $5 to $10 a day easily. All who have heard of the wonderful success of the Climax Dish Washer yet many are apt to think they can't make money selling it; but anyone can make money, because every family wants one. One agent has made $473.85 in the first three months after paying all expenses and attending to regular business besides. You don't have to canvass; as soon as people know you have it for sale they send for a Dish Washer. Address the Climax M'f'g Co., 45 Starr Ave., Columbus, Ohio, for aticulars. march4-d3mor

WANTED-10 MEN

To solicit orders for hardy nursery stock, ornamental trees and shrubs, both city and country work. Big pay; steady work, good territory near home.

L. L. MAY & CO., St. Paul, Minn.
May 17-d2m*

The Decatur Rubber Stamp Works,
J. M. MYERS, Proprietor.

Manufactures and furnishes Rubber Stamps and supplies for all hand printing purposes. Our new process flexible office stamps are not excelled for rapid, perfect printing. Full line of Nickel plated, self inking, pocket name printing stamps, 301 South Church street, Decatur, Ill. may23-d1mo

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Fredricka Delbridge, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Fredricka Delbridge, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1895.
ANDREW H. MILLS,
June13-d3w Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mary F. Gordanier, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary F. Gordanier, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1895.
JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,
June12-d3w Administrator, 317 N. Water St.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of J. M. Leighton and against Amanda Wittig and Nicholas Wittig, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot sixteen (16) in Brueck & Akers addition to the city of Decatur, being a sub-division of lots one (1) two (2) and three (3) in block four (4), of May Bros. & Traver's subdivision in the southeast quarter ¼ of section three (3) township sixteen (16), north range, two (2) east of the third (3) principal meridian. According to the plat recorded in Book 149, Page 25 in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois. Said premises being situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois. Taken for property of the said Amanda Wittig and Nicholas Wittig which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 10th day of June, A. D. 1895.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
June 10-d4w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. L. H. CLARK,
Room 30, Arcade Office Building.
Office Hours 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., 7 to 8 p. m.
Telephone Residence, 564, Office 455.
Residence 255 West North St

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Practice limited to EYE, EAR NOSE AND THROAT. Facilities for Fitting Glasses Unsurpassed.
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157 E. Main St.

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Office hours 8 to 10 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m.
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Take Elevator to Fifth Floor
Oct. 16-dtf

R. F. SIBLEY, M. D.
120 NORTH WATER STREET.
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June

HERMAN SPIES.
Book Binder.
Practical Book Binding and Blank Book Manufacturing. 127 South Water street, Decatur, Ill. Magazines bound, names stamped in gold on books.

GEO. P. HARDY,
Justice of the Peace,
OVER WASHBURN'S GROCERY STORE.
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Apr 23-dtf

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South Side Lincoln Square, Decatur, Ill.

NOTICE.

STATE of ILLINOIS, } In the County Court
COUNTY of MACON. } ss of Macon County, Illinois.

To the June term A. D. 1895.

Sexton E. Smith, administrator of the estate of Thomas A. Smith, deceased, vs. Jane Goodale, et al. Petition to sell land to pay debts.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that Frank Morgan and the Phoenix Loan Association are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you, the said Frank Morgan and to the Phoenix Loan Association, of St. Joseph, Missouri, that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the next June term, to be held at the court house in Decatur on the first Monday in June, 1895, for the sale of thirty-three (33) feet off the south side of lot six (6), block one (1), of Durfee & King's addition to the city of Decatur, in said county and state.

Now unless you, the said Frank Morgan and the Phoenix Loan Association, shall be and appear on the first day of the July term, 1895, of said court, on the first Monday of July, as no default can be taken until that date in said cause, to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 20th day of May, A. D. 1895.
JAMES M. DODD,
may22-d4w Clerk of Said Court.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of William T. Barrackman, doing business as William T. Barrackman Debtor

The undersigned hereby gives notice, that William T. Barrackman, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, did, on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1895, transfer to the undersigned, as assignee, all his property real and personal, for the benefit of his creditors, according to the provisions of the act concerning assignments.

All persons having claims against the said William T. Barrackman are hereby notified to present such claims, under oath or affirmation, to me, at the city of Decatur, in said county, within three months from this date

J. W. RACE, Assignee.
june13-d6w

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Paul Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Paul Smith, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1895.
D. L. BUNN,
june6-d3w Executor.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Henry Traughber, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Henry Traughber, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1895.
CHAPMAN TRAUGHBER, Executor.
May 27 d3w

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:

Galesburg, Ill., June 19 to 21, meeting of American wheelmen.

Bloomington, June 25 to 28, summer races.

Cleveland—June 18 to 19, National Republican League Club.

Chattanooga—June 27 to 30, International conference Epworth League.

Boston—July 10 to 14, Young People's Society Christian Endeavor.

Denver July 5 to 12, National Educational Association.

Baltimore—July 18 to 21, Baptist Young People's Union.

Toronto, July 16 and 17 Pan American Congress of Religion and Education.

Boston—August 26 to 30, Knights Templar triennial conclave.

For full information regarding dates of sale, limits of tickets, rates maps and descriptive advertising matter, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, Passenger and Ticket Agent Wabash Railroad, Decatur, Ill.

B. I. STERRETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over Bryan's Clothing Store Decatur.

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THE NEWS OF THE DAY

The Cruiser Raleigh Sails for Her New Post.

WOKE UP THE WRONG POSTMASTER.

The Year's Production of Gold and Silver—Serious Accident to a Crowded Trolley Car—Lum Smith Must Go to Jail, Etc., Etc.

The Raleigh Sails for Her New Post.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The navy department is informed of the sailing of the United States cruiser Raleigh for Key West on her mission to suppress Cuban fillibustering expeditions. The Raleigh should reach her new post of duty inside of three days. Lying in the harbor of Key West, and being readily accessible by telegraphic advices from the state and navy departments, the Raleigh will probably keep the coast patrolled by her small boats and steam launches in such manner as to distinctly assure Spain of the determination of the United States to suppress unfriendly movements originating here, and also to deter the Cuban sympathizers in Florida from further violations of the neutrality laws.

Woke Up the Wrong Postmaster.

MAMMOTH SPRINGS, Ark., June 15.—Yesterday J. A. Gentry, postmaster at Afton, eight miles south of here, went to the train with the mail bag. Two men, George Taylor and William Johnson, were on the platform and one got on each side of him, when they attacked him and beat him up considerably. Gentry shot Taylor in the forehead, killing him instantly, and shot Johnson through the mouth and left shoulder and right arm. He is seriously but not fatally wounded.

The Year's Production of Gold and Silver.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A statement issued yesterday by the director of the United States mint states the world's production of gold for the calendar year 1894 at over 8,780,000 fine ounces, an increase in value of $22,674,000 over the previous year.

The production of silver is estimated at nearly 166,000,000 fine ounces. This also is an increase over 1893. The difference in coining value over bullion value of the silver is stated at $109,132,000.

Serious Accident to a Crowded Trolley Car.

CUMBERLAND, Md., June 15.—While a crowded trolley car was returning from the baseball park yesterday afternoon, about 6 o'clock, it left the rails, plunging down a ten-foot embankment, seriously injuring Hunter Boyd, aged 17, son of Chief Judge Boyd of this district; Charles Isaacs, aged 15; a Miss Judy, aged 17, and Motorman Green, aged about 28. There were many miraculous escapes.

Lum Smith Must Go to Jail.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—Judge Butler in the United States court yesterday overruled the motions for new trials in the two cases against Lum Smith, the publisher of the Philadelphia Herald, who was convicted of improperly using the mails and imposing sentences amounting to a fine of $150 and costs and five months' imprisonment.

SUDDEN RETRIBUTION

Overtakes a Desperado who Makes Free Use of His Gun.

NATCHEZ, Miss., June 15.—At Natchez Island plantation, a few miles below this city, yesterday morning, R. W. Dawson, a shanty-boat fisherman and all-round tough character, shot and killed Frank Macklin, manager of the plantation, and a negro woman, name not yet learned, and seriously wounded a negro boy.

Dawson has gained much notoriety on account of his connection with a coal-black female denizen of "Natchez Under the Hill." The negress left him and went to work on the plantation, whereupon Dawson moved his boat to the island and opened a negro gambling house, and became such a nuisance that Macklin ordered him away. He refused to go, and in the altercation that followed Dawson used a Winchester and killed Macklin and the woman almost instantly, wounded the boy and made his escape, carrying the rifle.

A tug brought the bodies to Natchez, and a coroners' inquest was held.

Macklin was highly respected in this city and the feeling against Dawson runs high. Officers are searching for him, and there may be further bloodshed when he is overtaken.

A later report from the island states that the wounded boy had died and that William Conti, brother-in-law of Macklin, had come upon Dawson and before the latter could use his Winchester, shot him dead.

The Law Supreme at Mount Carmel, S. C.

COLUMBIA, S. C., June 15.—The Abbeville rifles who were ordered by Gov. Evans to suppress a reported race riot at Mount Carmel, arrived there at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Upon arriving the sheriff, backed by the troops, arrested the six negroes who were prominent in the trouble, and placed them in jail.

Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's Eighty-Fourth Birthday.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 15.—Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, the gifted authoress of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday quietly at her home on Forest street yesterday. She is in excellent physical health, and has not apparently failed during the past year.

Killed in a Cave-In.

RICHMOND, Mo., June 15.—David Whitmore was caught by a cave-in at a sand bank two miles south of this city yesterday morning and instantly killed. He was a prominent member of the Mormon church.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The Standard Oil Co.'s price for crude oil is unchanged at $1.45.

—M. Sverdrup, leader of the Swedish moderates, has declined to form a ministry as requested by King Oscar.

—The contract for the approaches to the public building at Galesburg, Ill., has been awarded to E. D. Briggs, of Aurora, Ill., at $3,750.

—Frank E. Cunningham, cashier of the defunct Brunswick (Ga.) state bank, who has been on trial charged with felony, was acquitted Thursday.

—At the cabinet meeting yesterday all the officers except Secretaries Carlisle and Herbert and Postmaster-General Wilson, who were out of the city, were present.

—The tipple and tower house at Robbins' coal mine near Pittsburgh, Pa., was completely destroyed by fire Thursday night. Loss, $12,000. Five hundred men are idle.

—There has been more building in the past twelve months in Bahia, Brazil, than for the same period in any previous year, and much more is projected for the ensuing year.

—Receiver J. C. Wilson, of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, has announced that George B. Gallon would not be discharged. He is the clerk in the auditor's office who referred to the American flag as a "dirty rag."

—The Homestake Mining Co. has declared its regular monthly dividend of twenty-five cents per share for May, payable at the office of the company in San Francisco, or at the transfer agency, Lounsberg & Co., in New York, on June 25.

—Martin Gillett & Co., of Baltimore, Md., are in receipt of a telegram from Amoy, China, stating that the latest advices from the island of Formosa are that business is entirely suspended there, and that there is much rioting in the tea-producing districts.

—The Yuma Indian reservation in San Diego county, Cal., will be immediately resurveyed and lands alloted in severalty to the Indians, who will receive five acres each and the remainder be opened for settlement. The entire reservation includes about four townships.

—All arrangements were made yesterday for the Afghan prince, Nazrulla Khan, to visit and inspect the thread works of J. and P. Coates & Co., at Paisley, Scotland, and the shipbuilding yards on the Clyde, but Nazrulla positively refused to leave his bed when he was aroused and informed that everything was in readiness for the trip.

FLAG DAY

Appropriately Celebrated at the Birthplace of the National Emblem.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—The celebration of Flag day, the one hundred and eighteenth anniversary of the birth of the national emblem, was appropriately observed in Philadelphia yesterday. It is in this city on Arch street that the house exists intact where Mrs. Betsy Ross, the maker of the first flag, lived, and thousands of public school pupils and a number of other persons visited the dwelling, which was profusely decorated. There were several flag raisings at public schools.

Flag Day in New York.

NEW YORK, June 14.—One hundred and eighteen years ago to-day the continental congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as the emblem of the United States, and to-day the event is being celebrated as Flag day throughout the state. In the public schools of this city, special exercises were generally observed, while on the public and business blocks the Stars and Stripes were unfurled to the breeze.

A British Gunboat Lost in a Tornado.

LIVERPOOL, June 15.—The steamer Dakar, from West African ports, arrived here yesterday. She reports that the gunboat Beecroft was lately wrecked at night near Old Calabar by a tornado. Sir Claud MacDonald, the Niger commissioner, his wife and about forty others were on board the gunboat. They were rescued in their night clothes by the launch Maple Leaf.

Three Young Men Drowned by the Capsizing of Their Boat.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., June 25.—Harry Eldred, Clay Millard and Charles Cowie, aged 15, 20 and 21 respectively, were drowned by the capsizing of a sail boat on St. Louis bay last night. Will Pinkham, who was also in the party, escaped by clinging to the boat until help arrived. All of those drowned belonged to prominent families.

A Case for Lynching.

GALLIPOLIS, O., June 15.—Miss Edna Williams, a popular young woman of this city, was assaulted in an outrageous way late last evening by a negro named Ed Brown. Brown was arrested. The jail is guarded, as there is considerable talk of lynching.

Two Soldiers Killed at a Fire Drill.

BERLIN, June 15.—The Breslau Anzeiger says that during a firing drill on the Friedrichswilhelm Platz in that city a misdirected shot killed two soldiers, the bullet passing through both of them.

Will Visit the Land of the Midnight Sun.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Ambassador Bayard, after attending the Kiel canal opening, will visit North Cape, Norway, and other points of interest in the land of the midnight sun before returning to London next month.

The American War Ships at Kiel.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Admiral Kirkland cables the navy department that the New York, Columbia and San Francisco left Copenhagen yesterday morning for Keil, where, under their orders, they are to arrive to-day.

Won by Cornell.

ITHACA, N. Y., June 15.—The race between the Cornell and University of Pennsylvania freshmen crews was won by Cornell by eight lengths.

DUN'S TRADE REVIEW

The Problem of Business Improvement Settled

BY A REVIVAL ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Better Crop Prospects, Wages Increasing, Manufactures Improving, Money in More Demand and a Brighter Outlook Generally—Failures.

NEW YORK, June 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, issued today, says:

It is no longer a question whether business improves. Not for a long time have our reports from all parts of the country been so uniformly favorable. The daily average of bank clearings in June is 24.8 per cent. larger than last year, though 11.4 per cent. less than in 1893. The most potent influence has been the receipt of more favorable advices regarding growing crops. Even official statements helped, because altogether less gloomy than previous rumors. Labor troubles are getting out of the way, wages in many establishments are rising, and with the iron industry just now leading, there is general improvement in manufactures. Monetary conditions also help. The time draws near when, with good crops, exports will bring gold hither, and though foreign operations in stocks and bonds have been insignificant this week, the effect of previous transactions has not been exhausted. Much diminished receipts of money from the interior indicate better employment in business, especially at the west, and the volume of commercial loans steadily rises, and is now fair for this season even in a good year.

The government crop reports were so much less dismal than was expected that they really extinguished for a time a host of calamitous rumors. The decidedly cheering outlook for spring wheat, which our own and other private advices confirm, goes far to balance reports of loss in winter wheat regions, and even this, in the light of the demonstated deficiency of the official returns of acreage were found far more encouraging than previous accounts.

Western receipts for two weeks of June were 3,116,680 bushels of wheat, against 3,001,293 last year, while Atlantic exports, flour included, were only 2,364,847 bushels, against 4,630,237 last year.

The official statement of 14.8 per cent. decrease in acregae was quickly found, in view of the revised government estimates for last year, to mean that more than 20,000,000 acres now growing cotton, which much exceeds the best unofficial estimates, and from an area no greater over 9,000,000 bales were produced in 1891, so that the report gave no aid to prophets of evil. That some reduction would be well for the south is clear, but the heavy present surplus will cover a larger loss than seems probable. The price has not changed, but transactions have become insignificant, though rainfall and the temperature are closely watched.

Manufacturers abroad, according to Ellison, have stocks 289,000 bales greater than a year ago, and commercial stocks of American in sight are still 3,200,308 bales.

Cotton mills are doing well for the season, and numerous advances of an eighth to a quarter in brown sheetings, drills, bleached muslins, ginghams and ticks are still reported.

The wool manufacturers look for speedy settlement of the labor troubles and finds a moderate demand for low and medium heavyweight goods, while some of the cheaper lines of spring goods have been opened with flourishing results, but as to better grades there is still great uncertainty about prices.

Wool sales for two weeks of June have been 12,561,965 pounds, against 11,520,550 in 1893; of which 6,791,300 were foreign this year, against 5,556,300 in 1893.

In shoe manufacture the season for temporary suspension is near, but shipments from the east for June thus far have been 14 per cent. larger than in any previous year.

The output of pig iron June 1 was but a trifle larger than May 1, 157,224 tons, against 156,554 a year ago, and 174,024 two years ago. The advance in prices continues, Bessemer pig reaching $12.40 and Grey forge $10.65 at Pittsburgh, and changes in all iron products show an advance of 3.7 per cent. this month, and 13.3 per cent. from the lowest point in February.

The anthracide coal trade does not maintain the improvement recently reported, and with palpable overproduction, bad faith being charged again, the price has declined 25 cents.

Railroad stocks have gradually advanced about 93 cents per share during the week, and earnings for the first week of June show an increase of 3.7 per cent. over last year, while full returns for May gained 7.3 per cent., though 13.3 per cent. less than in 1893.

Failures for the week ending June 6 are swelled by the Cordage statement to $19,801,498, of which $9,622,468 were of manufacturing and $1,129,030 of trading concerns. Exclusive of Cordage, other failures showed $1,641,498 liabilities, of which $463,468 were of manufacturing concerns. Last year the aggregate for the week was $2,597,228, of which $476,118 was of manufacturing and $1,872,261 of trading concerns.

The completed statements for May show an aggregate of $9,560,281; against $9,787,921 last year.

Failures for the past week have been 241 in the United States, against 232 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 46 last years.

—Attorney-General Harmon returned to Washington yesterday from Philadelphia.

Completely Paralyzed.

PHYSICIANS ARE ASTOUNDED BY A PECULIAR CASE.

A Young Man Stricken with Landry's Paralysis and yet Recovers.

(From the Times, Philadelphia, Pa.)

Stricken with Landry's Paralysis and yet cured. That means but little to the average layman but it means a miracle to a physician. Such is the experience of O. E. Dallimore now a resident of Madison, N. J., and a rare experience it is.

"Yes, its true that I had Landry's Paralysis," said Mr. Dallimore to a reporter, "or else the most celebrated physicians of London were mistaken.

"It was on the 15th of March, this year," he continued, "when I was in New York city, that I first felt the symptoms of my trouble. I experienced difficulty in going up stairs, my legs failing to support me. I consulted a physician who informed me that I had every symptom of Locomotor Ataxia, but as the case developed he pronounced it a case of Landry's Paralysis and knowing the nature of the disease advised me to start for my home and friends. I gave up my work and on April 1st started for London, Ont. A well-known physician was consulted but I grew rapidly worse and on Saturday, April 7, several eminent physicians held a consulation on my case and informed me that I was at death's door, having but three to six days to live, still I lingered on, by this time completely paralyzed, my hands and feet being dead, I could hardly whisper my wants and could only swallow liquids. Oh, the misery of those moments are beyond all description and death would really have been a welcome visitor.

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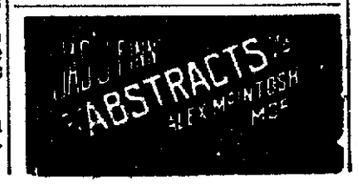

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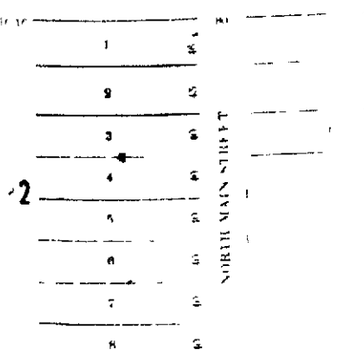

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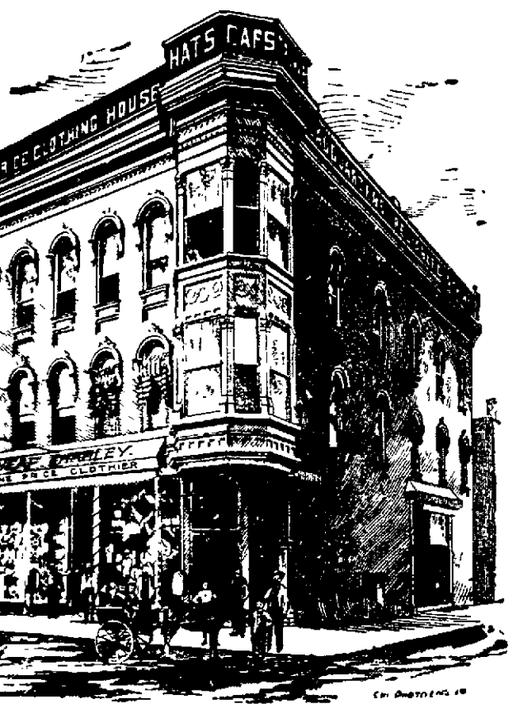

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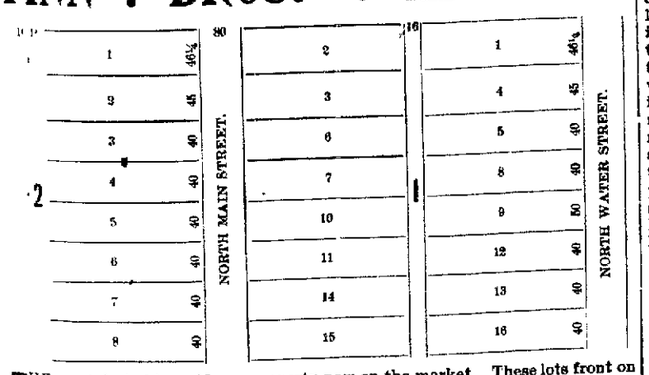

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Why It Does Not Pay to Hold Diplomatic Appointments—United States Treats Its Foreign Representatives Very Shabbily.

[Special Washington Letter.]

There is undoubtedly a growing ambition in this country for appointments to government offices. The civil service commission files are full of applications, and there are upwards of twenty persons who pass rigid examinations for these places for every official position within the classified list. In spite of the law upon the subject the various candidates file recommendations from the politicians who are great men in their own counties, but who are unknown in Washington and of no consequence in the eyes of the department functionaries who have the bestowal of favors.

The positions which are filled by the president are comparatively few. His

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN IN COURT DRESS.

direct appointments do not exceed 7,000, while there are more than 150,000 appointments made by the members of the cabinet of which the president knows nothing. He has no time for the consideration of such matters. Nearly 70,000 appointments of postmasters are made by the postmaster general; and he has also the disposal of many places of still less importance than postmasterships. In fact, the great majority of appointments in the postal service are made by the assistant postmasters general, with the tacit approval of the head of the department. The secretary of the interior and the secretary of the navy make many thousands of appointments, and the files of their appointment clerks are overloaded with applications from all parts of the country.

Nearly all of the positions in the department of state are filled by the president; and the late Secretary Blaine was annoyed and exasperated because President Harrison filled the majority of the diplomatic and consular positions without even consulting him. As a matter of fact this was the real cause of the bitter feeling which existed between Mr. Blaine and President Harrison in 1891-2. Other presidents and secretaries of state have quarreled in similar manner over the disposition of the spoils of office. There is a great deal of unwritten history on this subject.

For some unaccountable reason appointments to positions in the diplomatic service seem to be most desired by our highclass office-seekers. They want to go abroad as ministers or consuls to foreign governments. And yet these positions scarcely pay enough for decent frugal living to their incumbents. From the commencement of our national life this country has pursued a policy of starvation toward its diplomatic representatives. John Adams, afterwards president of the United States, was our minister to the court of Saint James. In 1787 the congress cut down his salary by one-fifth and he wrote to the department of state a letter saying: "We are to dine to-morrow at a table with £3,000 upon it and the next day we return the civility by inviting the same company to dine with us upon earthenware. Depend upon it, that nation which places its own ambassadors at the tail of the whole creation cannot expect itself to be soon at the head." And yet, the same penurious policy is pursued until this day. Our representatives at foreign courts are not paid enough to enable them to present a proper appearance as envoys of a great republic.

We can thank Benjamin Franklin, our minister to France, for making a precedent in this direction. His gigantic tact told him that it would never do to try a contest in dudery with the courtiers of Louis XVI., so he appeared in the presence of that monarch in homely attire, which the king evidently did not consider to his disadvantage when he said that Franklin made him (Louis) "the second man in his own realm." Since that time this country has become the richest in the world, and plutocrats bursting with dollars are eager in soliciting ituations from the government in foreign parts. It is said now that no man who is not a millionaire can afford to accept a mission from this country, so enormous is the expense of such an appointment. For, say what you will, an ambassador to England or France feels the same humiliation that afflicted John Adams when he found himself unable to keep his end up in behalf of the United States with diplomats from other nations. In a small way the case is very well illustrated by the situation of an American naval officer of rank. Such a man, in the service of Great Britain, when exposed to a necessity for entertaining, is supplied by his government with a fund for the purpose, or is authorized to send in bills to the admiralty. There are circumstances under which American naval officers are put to really great expense in this way. For instance, at the New Orleans exposition an admiral was sent in command of a small fleet to do honors on the water for this country. There were vessels present for complimentary purposes from all other important powers, and necessarily courtesies had to be exchanged.

The officers of the American ships were entertained on board those of each foreign government, and balls and dinner parties had to be given in return. This meant great cost, all of which had to be defrayed out of the private purses of the United States officers, some of whom were compelled on this account to mortgage their meager salaries for a year or two in advance to meet these international obligations. For the expenses of this sort incurred by the foreigners their home government paid as a matter of course. It seemed, however, to be considered a part of the United States officers' duty to set up the wine and refreshments on the semi-public occasions in question. So it is always. These foreigners, too, are used to the very best and most expensive wines and cigars, and the officers of the American navy cannot decently return their hospitality with inferior entertainment. It is unfortunate that international customs are so expensive; but we must take facts as we find them. We should have national pride in maintaining our part of comity, without taxing our public servants. If we can't dress and live as other nations do, we should fall to the rear and make no pretensions.

John C. New, of Indiana, the strong and warm political friend of President Harrison, declined the position of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain, and accepted the secondary position of consul general, because the more honorable position would have paid but $17,500 per annum, and the expenses amount to more than $25,000 dollars a year. He preferred to be made consul general to England, because there was money in the latter office, whereas to be minister would have ruined him. For, pray, remember, the consul generalship at London is worth something like $40,000 a year, without any of the expensive social obligations which devolve upon a minister at court. Mr. New would have preferred the greater office, but he could not afford to take it. Robert T. Lincoln was made minister to Great Britain, and he suffered financially. Mr. New saved nearly $100,000 during his four years as consul general.

While our ambassador to Great Britain is obliged to live on a comparatively small salary, and pay for the expenses of public entertainments out of his own pocket, the British ambassador to this country has a salary of $30,000 per annum, a handsome residence which belongs to his government, and a liberal allowance for the expenses of state entertainments. Some of our people, imbued with Jeffersonian simplicity, will be inclined to say that these expensive entertainments might be dispensed

A RECEPTION.

with. But you might as well say that in our cities, towns and villages we should do away with our entertainments of our friends. If John Jones and his wife want to invite John Smith and his wife to dine with them, or give a party for their children, they have a right to do so, and will continue to do so forever.

Well, when the French minister and the British minister, and the ministers of other countries, invite our diplomatic representatives to state dinners, those invitations must be accepted; and our ministers and ambassadors must give similar entertainments in return It is the custom of the civilized world, and we must comply with those customs or else give up diplomatic relations with other nations, which is impossible.

At these great entertainments the ladies belonging to the families of our foreign ministers must dress as the wives and daughters of other ministers dress. No lady can appear on such an occasion in any gown costing less than $500 without appearing to be a cheap person from a cheap nation. On great occasions the ladies must be dressed in attire entirely new, and which has never been worn before.

When James Buchanan was minister to Great Britain he was requested to appear at the opening of parliament with gold lace and insignia of rank. He was told by the master of ceremonies that the queen would expect it of him. Thereupon Mr. Buchanan absented himself from the opening of parliament, and a great international stir was made about it; but Mr. Buchanan was indorsed by the American people in the stand which he had taken. Since then, while the ladies of the families of our ministers are expensively dressed, the American ministers themselves are not expected to wear any regalia or insignia of rank. They appear in the plain evening dress costume which prevails in polite society in this republic.

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Wabash Line.

FROM ST LOUIS		TO ST LOUIS	
No. 10 Pass†	8 45 p m	No. 9 Pass†	6 55 a m
" 4 Pass*	11 57 a m	" 3 Pass*	2 45 a m
" 44 Pass*	11 25 a m	" 43 Pass*	4 05 a m
" 42 Pass*	10.12 p m	" 45 Pass*	4 15 p m
" 2 Pass*	12 40 a m	" 5 Pass*	4 10 p m

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	
No. 43 Pass*	10 05 p m	No. 48 Pass*	4 30 a m
" 44 Pass†..	11 05 a m	" 45 Pass*	4 10 p m
" 6 Pass*.	8 05 a m	" 1 Pass*	9 07 p m
" 46 Acc† .	7.00 p m	" 47 Acc*	6 45 a m
" 70 Freight	11 05 a m	" 71 Freight	11 55 a m

FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT.	
No. 43 Pass* ..	3 50 a m	No. 46 Pass*	6 15 a m
" 45 Pass*	3.55 p m	" 44 Pass*	11 35 a m
" 41 Pass† ..	9 00 p m	" 42 Pass*	10 18 p m
" 47 Pass† .		" 48 Pass†	
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FROM CHICAGO.		TO CHICAGO.	
No. 3 Pass* . .	8 30 a m	No 2 Pass*	12 55 a m
" 5 Pass*	4 05 p m	" 4 Pass*	12 00 p m
" 1 Pass†	6 30 p m	" 6 Pass† .	6.25 p m

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
Diamond Special, daily	1 41 a m	Diamond Special, daily	2 42 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday	9.40 a m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday	9:45 a m
No. 194 freight ex. Sunday	2:00 p m	No. 193 freight ex. Sunday	10 30 a m
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday	6:10 p m	No. 125 pass. ex. Sunday	5:25 p m
No. 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex. Sunday	2 15 p m	No 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex. Sunday	10 15 a m

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ARRIVE.		LEAVE.	
No. 1 Pass	2 40 p m	No. 2 Pass	11 30 a m
" 3 Pass	8:55 a m	" 4 Pass	10 20 p m
" 7 Mixed.	10:05 a m	" 8 Mixed	4 00 p m

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 2 Pass	2 55 p m	No. 1 Pass	11 30 a m
" 4 Pass	4 10 a m	" 3 Pass	10 15 p m
" 30 Pass.	7 00 a m	" 31 Pass.	7 55 p m
" 10 Freight	10 45 a m	" 11 Freight	2 00 p m

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute.	11 05 a m—7 45 p m
From Peoria	3 00 p m—9 45 p m
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For Terre Haute	7 40 a m—3 10p m

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SOCIETY MEETINGS

MASONIC—Special convocation of Macon Chapter, No 21, Royal Arch Masons, this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, for work in the Mark Master degree J S. KING, High Priest. J. S CARTER, Sec.

LOCAL NEWS.

SMOKE Faust cigars. 10 dtf

BABIES cry for Irwin's ice cream soda.

IRWIN'S Nola Vena is a fine drink, try it, 5c a glass.

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THE water and light committee met last night at the city hall.

IF you have a headache use Irwin's harmless powders, sure cure.

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THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

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LADIES' tan goods, Oxfords, 85c a pair; splendid for service; at Powers' Shoe Store. june11-d&w1w

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SMITH'S Columbia cylinder oils. dtf

MISSES and children's white kid slippers, 98c a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. june11-d&w1w

BUY a bottle of Thompson's Cherry Phosphate at Tyler's, take it home and make your own summer drinks. d

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BARGAINS in millinery. Our entire stock at reduced prices. Especial values in Leghorns. See us. Decatur Bazar Co., 139 East Main street. june14 d1w

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE famous Reed & Son's pianos are on sale only at the C. B. Prescott music house Step in and see them. You will be surprised at the low prices and easy terms

ALL persons owing poll tax in Decatur township will be required to pay justice's costs on the same after the first Monday in July, 1895. C. E. Wheeler, treasurer commissioner of highways. 15-d3t

THE Linthicum Carriage Co. and the Columbus Buggy Co. have a world-wide reputation and their vehicles have stood the test of time and use. See Leon & Morris. may 9 dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

WITH the blood full of humors, the heated term is all the more oppressive Give the system a thorough cleansing with Ayer's Sarsaparilla and a dose or two of Ayer's Pills, and you will enjoy Summer as never before in your life. Just try this for once, and you'll not repent it.

M. F. METZ has consolidated his two coal offices, and hereafter all business will be done under his personal supervision at the yard office, 800 North Broadway. Please call or telephone. Old phone 433, new phone, 435. Orders left with his son, Harry, at King & Metz's drug store on Water street, will be promptly filled April 17-dtf

JOHN REYNOLDS and Spot Phillips have purchased the Scherer saloon, corner of Short and Eldorado streets. There will be a grand free lunch tonight. You are invited. The famous Faust beer, the best beer on the market, constantly on tap. The new firm invite their friends ta visit their place and promise them the very best fare the markets afford. 15-d6

THE Chicago Steam Dye Works have opened an office and dye works at 145 North Main street. Their specialty is dry cleaning, and ladies' and gents' clothing are nicely dyed, cleaned and repaired. Their work is first class, and prices moderate. Goods sent by express will receive prompt attention. The proprietors, Messrs. H. H. Miller & Co., who are lately from the Economy and Schwartz dyehouses, of Chicago, guarantee good work by latest methods. Don't forget the place, 145 Main street.

THE trial of Henry Martin, for assault to murder his wife, is in progress in the circuit court at Springfield. A verdict may be reached this evening. John Godett is one of the witnesses in the case. Martin went from Decatur to Springfield May 13 and cut his wife with a razor. She appeared in court with her head bandaged.

IN a telegram to the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* to day from Hillsboro, where the horse races closed yesterday, appeared this complimentary reference: "The horsemen are well pleased with the ability displayed by Harry Scanlan, of Decatur, starter for the whole series of races.'

THE Globe Shoe and Clothing house, at 640 East Eldorado street, is a new one in the list of Decatur business firms. M. Greenberg, the proprietor, seems to be an active, enterprising business man and should score a great success in the local mercantile world.

THE grand jury has been discharged for the term. They brought in 68 indictments yesterday. All of the parties except one are at liberty. They will be arrested as soon as the bench warrants can be made out.

J. M. EHRMAN, who is running a store at Bement, has been elected chief of the volunteer fire department in that town.

SUNDAY afternoon at Riverside Park Goodman's band will give a free concert. The public is cordially invited.

THIS forenoon six tramps were sent to jail for vagrancy, the sentences varying from 30 to 60 days.

JUDGES of fine cooking never under estimate the goodness of Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

CLERK DODD states that the county orders will be ready to be handed over Monday noon.

CASES IN COURT.

Conviction of a Man and a Boy—Civil Actions.

Judge Vail ordered court adjourned this afternoon until Monday, when he will go through the chancery docket.

James J. Finn was reappointed master in chancery for two years, bond in the sum of $15,000.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

People vs. Edward Butts and Charley Foster, burglary and grand larceny. Nolle as to Butts. Foster pleaded guilty to petit larceny, given 10 days in the county jail, fined $25.

People vs. Edward Kelvy and Frank Dody, burglary. Plea of not guilty entered Trial by jury. Verdict guilty. Kelvy two years in penitentiary, Dody sent to Reform School.

People vs. Ephraim Hall, confidence. Motion to quash indictment overruled.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Eliza M. Peverly et al vs. Isabel A. Schenck et al, partition. Report of Master approved, and decree. E. J. Roberts, C A. Hall and Alonzo Disbrow appointed commissioners

George Dolch vs Ella Dolch, divorce. Evidence heard, decree.

Tina A. Wright vs James S. Wright, divorce Evidence heard, decree.

Clarinda H Smith vs James H. Smith, divorce Evidence heard, decree

Elizabeth Young et al vs. Almira Hunt, et al, partition. Report of master approved: case heard, decree A McIntosh, J W McClellan and H H Wise appointed commissioners

County Templar Cupid's Victim.

Edgar N. Six, clerk at Huff's Hotel restaurant, and recently re elected chief templar of the Macon county lodge of Good Templars will take unto himself a wife this evening at Argenta. The bride to be is Miss Emma Jones, of Central avenue, Decatur. Justice Six, of Argenta, will officiate at the marriage. The couple will reside in Decatur.

All to Have a Chance.

Messrs. Loeb, Burrows and Miller, the Public Park commissioners, have decided that there should be a suitable dwelling erected at Fair Lawn Park for the custodian of the grounds. All architects in the city are invited to present plans for the house. All necessary information can be secured by applying to Commissioner Loeb.

Forty Years in the Service.

"Uncle Ben" Whartenby, Pacific Express messenger between Toledo and Decatur on Wabash trains 41 and 6, died Thursday night at his home in Toledo. The deceased was one of the oldest messengers in the express business, having been in the service for 40 years. His funeral will be held on Sunday.

The Prices.

The prices for the great production, "As You Like It," by the Morris company on the night of June 21 will be $1.50, $1.00 and 50 cents. The comedy will be given on the lawn of Mrs. Samuel Powers in the third ward. There are 60 people in the Morris company, all professional people.

Presbyterian Church.

Miss Mary McLeod, a gifted and highly educated young colored woman of Scotia Seminary, Concord, North Carolina, who is soon to go to Africa as a missionary to her own people, will speak at the Presbyterian church to-morrow evening.

Base Ball.

The Toledo League club 26, Decatur Athletics 2.

Linn & Scruggs Old Timers 20, Professionals 16.

At Moweaqua, Decatur 5, Moweaqua 6.

Fountain Pens.

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SPRINGFIELD will repave 32 blocks of pavement during the summer.

GRADUATES AT THEIR FEAST

Commencement Day Reunion at the St. Nick—Toasts, Music and Dancing.

After the fuss and jam of public class day exercises at the Grand, came the High School Alumni reunion, reception and banquet at the St. Nicholas last night, from 8 o'clock until after the midnight hour, with the 76 graduates of the class of '95 as the hosts. In past years the Alumni association had charge of the reunion feature of commencement day, but this year the '95 class assumed the responsibility and carried it through with grace and credit to the young blood, new recruits in the Alumni. The reception was held in the parlors of the hotel on the second floor, and the banquet was spread in the dining room under the personal direction of Charles Laux. The Opera House Orchestra was stationed in the ladies' ordinary, off the dining hall, and throughout the evening sweet music lent an additional charm to the occasion. There were 116 persons present to enjoy the feast, the music and the speeches. The banquet was perfection, both in quality and quantity, and the dining hall was an inspiring picture with the bright and happy company at the tables, and the arrangement of tropical plants and flowers to put frills on the scene and fill in the open spaces.

THE TOASTS.

Dr. James L. Bevans officiated cleverly as the toastmaster and made a felicitous address in proposing the first toast "The Class of '95," the largest in the history of the High school, the first to go through the course without Miss French, and the class which had the honor of establishing the *Observer.* Louis T. Rainey, the '95 class president, made the response in a graceful manner, giving credit to Principal Sheppard for starting the *Observer*, and expressing his gratitude over the fact that his trials and tribulations as class president were ended. In the name of the class Mr. Rainey presented Mr. Sheppard with a pair of gold cuff-buttons set with diamonds. This was a complete surprise for the principal who in some confusion acknowledged his thanks in receiving the token of friendship and esteem.

"The Modern School" was proposed by Mrs. Fannie J. Sedgwick. She described the second annual commencement exercises when four small girls and one scared-to-death boy made their speeches and bow; it was necessary to fill in the rest of the program with amateur music, speeches by the board and teachers. She then told about the old high school rooms in the basement of the old Baptist church and how Prof. Gastman performed most of the functions known to pedagogy, from principal of schools down to instructor. She paid a high tribute to Mary Baker and Miss Sargent, two of the first teachers, and also to Miss French. She made many witty remarks and said many things that brought to mind fond recollections of the older students. In closing her remarks Mrs. Sedgwick compared the old class to chickens jumping out from under the old hen's wings ready to be fried, to a big brood of incubator chicks. She said that the class to day look just like incubator chickens with their new fluffs and feathers.

Professor Sheppard responded in the interest of the schools of to day, and presented many new thoughts on school matters. He said the college of yesterday was the high school of to day. He spoke of the improvements in courses of study and of the better way in which they are taught; of the course being a means and not an end, and that the acquiring of knowledge has for its real end the development of character. He urged on the minds of the graduates the fact that life is not simply dollars and cents, and that they should have broad sympathies and high aspirations. In closing his remarks he made a pretty comparison, telling of the G. A. R. and paying a high tribute to the old soldier, he said: "To-day you are composing another great army, and you must remember that peace has its battles as well as war; have the highest aim in life, be true to yourself and the old school."

Robert P. Vail proposed the toast "25=1," alluding in a happy way to the 25 years in the High School, passed happily with Miss French, with only one year omitted, expressing the hope that the return of the popular and talented teacher would be the beginning of another 25 years of efficient service in the High School.

Miss French's remarks in response to the toast were in her happiest vein, and everybody gave her the closest attention. In conclusion she said: "Young people, do you realize that the world confronts you? You have laid a strong foundation, what will you build upon it? We have loved you well and trusted you fully. Stand to your colors and abide by your motto, vim, vigor, victory."

"Present Educational Questions" was the toast proposed by Hon. C. A. Ewing, who spoke for well rounded manhood and womanhood, and for continued educational development. The address was full of good suggestions for the development of the mind and for the moral training of the less favored class of children in every community

Supt. E. A. Gastman responded. He said that to day all questions [illegible] the finance question and that it is a question of what it costs in school work. He dwelt on the fact that more money should be expended and complimented the citizens on their liberality so far. He said that one of the main questions is how shall we produce deep thinking men and honest men and women. He hoped that we go forward cautiously and that no backward steps be taken.

Mrs. V. N. Hostetler next proposed the toast, "Decatur at College." She told how three of her class went out to college, and of how 22 out of the class of day intend going away to school. She pointed this out as one of the encouraging features of school work. She also told of how women could not enter the greater colleges on her graduation and how there were few female colleges at that time. She attributed a good deal of this spirit of going away to school to Mr. Gastman's untiring efforts. She urged going to a good school close to home, if graduates can not get funds to go farther off. In closing she called attention to the fact that Mr Wait, who was to follow, was at one time her pupil.

C. A. Wait responded with a few witty remarks and some good, sound suggestions. He gave a good idea of college life, and urged on all who can to attend some good college.

THE HOP

A social dance followed the toasts the young people engaging in the pleasure until nearly two o'clock.

To the Society People of Decatur and Vicinity

The poetry of motion in the human form divine is in the nature of things. Dancing music is an essential part. You can take pleasure listening to music without dancing, but very little in dancing without music. Under those circumstances as there has never been an orchestra in Decatur devoted exclusively to Terpsichorean (or dancing) art Professor Leonard is going to organize an orchestra for that purpose. The tempo of all dances will be strictly regulated by Maelzel's Metronome as to the number of steps per minute for the different dances. He himself will be master of ceremonies and the people may rest assured that none but musicians of ability shall be members and he may safely assert that you will not have to send out of town to hire an orchestra that can keep the proper tempo for dancing. Respectfully Yours

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

CHICAGO Ill June 15

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B Z Taylor dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with respondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations

	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat—				
June	77⅞	78		
July	76⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
September	77⅝	[illegible]		
Corn—				
April				
June	48⅝			
July	49⅝	49⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
September	50⅝	50⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats—				
July	29⅝	29⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pork—				
July	12 40	12 47	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept	12 70	12 77	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lard—				
July				
Ribs—				
May				

July wheat—puts 72⅞@⅞, calls 76@⅞

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS

Wheat—27. Estimated, 28. Year ago [illegible]

Corn—142. Estimated, 132, a year ago [illegible]

Oats—205. Estimated, 211, a year ago [illegible]

ESTIMATES FOR MONDAY

Wheat, 27. Corn, 200, oats 210

Wheat opened a cent to a cent and a quarter lower this morning, was steady for a short time after opening, and then made a break of about a cent, after which came a reaction of about [illegible] The trade was rather small

Trade in corn was fair for a Saturday and the market was fairly active

Hog receipts 10,000, estimated, 10,000 Market steady. Estimated for Monday 25,000 Light $4.25@$4.60. Mixed $4.35@$4.70 Heavy $4.[illegible] $4.75. Rough $4.35@$4.50.

No early cables on Saturday

DECATUR STOCK MARKET

The following are the ruling prices paid by local dealers for stock

Cows and Heifers	3.00@3.50
Steers	4.00@4.50
Hogs	4.50
Calves	4.00@4.00
Sheep	3.00
Export Cattle	4.00@5.00

POULTRY MARKET

Ruling prices for live poultry per pound Hens, 6½c, hen turkey, 7½c, gobblers [illegible] turkey, 8c, ducks, 6c, geese, 5c, scalders [illegible] old roosters, 2c.

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HAVE finished their store [illegible] the best appointed salesr[illegible] best lighted and finest [illegible] front show windows are equaled [illegible] displayed in them are not equaled by any dealer in the city Seeing [illegible] North Water street and see for [illegible] the masses, as to style and finish elegance of the store room The [illegible] night is the steady increase of the [illegible]

A Few Prices to Set

Children's Suits.
Boys' Suits, extra pants and cap, a[illegible]
Young Men's Suits, stylish
Men's All Wool, stylish cut

FOR FINE FUR

See their window display
Shirts cannot be exce[illegible]

Straw Hats for Everybo[illegible]

Their Merchant Ta[illegible]

is way behind on all orders [illegible] gives satisfaction to the trade are satisfaction. Come in, for you w[illegible] body invited.

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They are the best bakers and the most powerful burning stove on the market to-day. We will have the full line on our floor this week Don't buy your gasoline stove until you have seen them.

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BOYS' W[illegible]

—23 Ce[illegible]

H. C. G[illegible]

DECATUR, IL[illegible]